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DR. E. I. BARTLETT BUYS INTEREST IN HOSPITAL; DOLLEY TO STUDY ABROAD

**Dr. Lessard and Dr. Bartlett to
Conduct Local Hospital; Staff Is
Announced.**

Dr. Edwin I. Bartlett, for the past ten years assistant professor of surgery and surgical pathology at the University of California Medical School has purchased part of Dr. F. S. Dolley's interest in the South San Francisco hospital and will come here May 1 to take charge. The announcement was made this week when it was reported that Dr. Dolley will make an extended trip through this and the old country for the purpose of studying thoracic surgery in the finest institutions. Incidentally the entire staff of the hospital will be reorganized.

Dr. Dolley will retain a part interest in the hospital. For the next year or more he plans to study in Vienna, Munich, Paris, London, St. Louis and at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester. Recently Dr. M. D. Lessard, for several years past a doctor at the hos-

pital, purchased a partnership and he, with Dr. Bartlett, will actively conduct the business.

It is planned to have two house doctors instead of one as at present. The second doctor to act with Dr. Bartlett in that capacity has not been named. The consulting staff of the hospital will include: Dr. Howard Naffziger, neuro surgeon, Dr. Howard Markell, orthopedic surgeon, Dr. L. P. Player, urologist, Dr. William Kerr, and Dr. Ernest H. Falconer, internist, Dr. Phillip Arnott, gynecologist, Dr. Howard Ruggles, roentgenologist.

Dr. Bartlett, who comes here from the University of California Medical School, is at present the chief surgeon for Aetna Life Insurance Company. He will locate his home here.

Dr. F. S. Dolley has not announced the date for beginning his trip but he expects to depart before summer starts.

PACKED HOUSE SEES LEGION NIGHT PROGRAM

**National Legion Essay Contest for
School Children Is Outlined;
Entertainment Proves Success**

If numbers are any indication of the success of a meeting, then the patriotic public rally, which was given last Friday evening by the Bernard McCaffrey Post No. 85, American Legion, was a huge success. The high school auditorium was packed. Fully one-half of the audience was made up of school children, and this was gratifying to the legion, as the program was particularly planned for them.

Comrade Pat Bowler struck the keynote of the evening when he said: "The purpose of the American Legion is to support America in time of peace as well as in war. There was a time when we made Americans from aliens, but now we are endeavoring to make American citizens from Americans, and citizens of ourselves." Patriotism is not like a sword that can be put away. Patriotism is the act of exercising the duties of an American citizen, exercising the franchise of voting, learning the traditions of country and flag, and conducting ourselves to further the principles handed down by the fathers of our country." He gave an interesting history of the evolution of the American flag, accompanied by illustrations.

In his address, "America First," Principal Roney of the high school gave a brief history of America, showing how it had always been first, especially in the wars which marked the epochs of advancement.

Appearing on the entertainment program also was the high school orchestra, under the leadership of Robert E. Reed, which played several pleasing selections. Comrade F. C. Thomas' bugle calls stirred the emotions. Ben Hjerpe in war songs was warmly received. Caesar Lencioni won the hearty applause with his accordion. Mrs. May Clark Burns of Burlingame has a glorious voice and charmed the audience with three vocal numbers. Judge Walker, whose voice is always welcome, received a real ovation. John H. Mager took down the house with a "buck and wing" and encore. Postmaster Hardy had the house in an uproar of laughter with his humorous recitation. The exhibition drill by the local Boy Scouts under Scoutmaster Schmidt was well done.

An important announcement was given by Comrade H. J. Borba, who outlined a national essay contest for the school children of America, under the auspices of the American Legion. The winners of the national contest will receive university scholarships worth \$750, \$500 and \$250; and winners of the California state contest will receive silver and bronze medals, and certificate of merit. Further announcements to the students will come direct through the schools, and it is hoped that at least 100 essays will be turned from the South San Francisco schools.

CASEYS TO VISIT HERE ON PASSION SUNDAY, MARCH 29

More than 150 members of San Mateo Council, Knights of Columbus will visit South San Francisco on Passion Sunday, March 29, attend mass and take holy communion in All Souls church, according to H. F. McNellis, who is chairman of the local committee which is arranging the visit. Plans include a march from the depot to the church shortly before 9 o'clock and communion breakfast following the mass in Parish Hall to be served by the Young Ladies' Institute.

The visit of members from all over the county is regarded as an important event by local Knights of Columbus.

SCOUTS TO RAISE FUNDS FOR SUITS

On the first Wednesday after the Lenten season, April 15, the Boy Scouts will give a whist party in Fraternal Hall, this city. The scouts are anxious to secure enough money to finish equipping their uniformed drill team. According to Scoutmaster Fred Schmidt, several of the boys are without uniforms. If the raised sum proves to be too small hats and neckerchiefs will be purchased

VINCENZINI BROS. PLAN THREE-STORY APARTMENT BLDG.

Plans for the erection of a three-story apartment and store building at the corner of Maple and Grand avenues have been announced by Vincenzini Brothers, proprietors of the Columbia and Radio Meat Markets. Construction is to be started immediately on what will be one of the biggest buildings in the city.

The plans as announced include two upper stories to be occupied by ten 2-room apartments and one three-room apartment each. The entrance to the apartments will face Maple avenue and an elaborate lobby and automatic elevator is included in the specification. The ground floor will be occupied by large store buildings. The building will be steam heated. Outside exposure will be provided for the apartments.

The building will represent an outlay of several thousand dollars, and the balance of the suits will be bought later on.

Members of Bernard McCaffrey Post, No. 85, American Legion, will help the boy scouts conduct the whist.

GOLF CLUB TO BUILD COSTLY CLUB HOUSE

**Course on Baden Farm to
Be Opened Oct. 1,
This Year**

Construction of a clubhouse to cost \$100,000 to be furnished at a cost of \$25,000 before October 1 next is the plan of the California Golf Club recently organized, according to local men who are members.

The California Golf Club is to be located on the Baden farm formerly owned by E. C. Burr. The entire tract comprises 450 acres, 150 of which will be devoted to an 18 hole golf course, 150 acres on El Camino Real to be disposed of for residence property and 150 acres in the hills to be reserved for homes for members of the club.

Originally it was planned to build a \$50,000 clubhouse but at a meeting held in San Francisco April 9 it was decided to double that sum. Short term bonds will be issued to meet the initial expense. In a very short time in the meeting 100 members subscribed for \$40,000 of these bonds.

The clubhouse and course are to be opened October 1, 1925. E. C. Burr will tee up the first ball on that date.

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URGE ACTION ON HILLSIDE BOULEVARD

Urging the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo county to take the action necessary to the construction of Hillside boulevard, sometime called Paradise Valley road, the committee of the chamber of commerce, headed by Ben H. Truax on Monday filed its report with Chamber Manager Phil R. Thompson.

The report shows the entire right of way necessary to the construction of the road through Paradise Valley has been conveyed by the land owners and by the City of South San Francisco to the county. Verbal and written appeals from citizens and from the factories to use every endeavor to get this highway completed as soon as possible have been received, the report says.

The committee was composed of B. H. Truax, chairman; Pete M. Petroff, John W. Coleberd, A. Vincenzini, F. J. Lautze, and H. J. Borba.

TRAFFIC RATE HEARING HELD

Commissioner Squires of the railroad commission yesterday heard the petition of the South San Francisco-Belt Railway for an increase in rates for switching carload traffic. The hearing was held in the state building. The hearing was originally slated for March 31 and was shifted forward by the commission.

BELMONT ORDERS SEWER SURVEY

REDWOOD CITY, March 19.—Trustees of the Belmont Sanitary District have ordered their engineer, County Surveyor George Kneese, to start a survey for the construction of a new sewer on Ralston avenue, Belmont.

This action is seen as an end to a controversy as to who owns the present Ralston avenue sewer which was built by private capital.

POPULATION HERE GIVEN AT 7000

The population for South San Francisco is 7000 in a book of census figures for Peninsula cities compiled by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.

The same source gives the combined population of San Mateo, Burlingame and Hillsborough as 25,000; Menlo Park, 4000; San Carlos 7000; Redwood City 7500; and San Bruno 3000.

SHOVELS AND PICKS TO FLY ON ORANGE AVE. DAY, SUNDAY APRIL 19

Sunday, April 19, is "Orange Avenue Day."

Sounds like delayed opposition to St. Patrick's Day. It isn't. It is the day on which all able-bodied men and women are asked to come to the aid of the city in the fight it is waging to have Orange avenue extended through to Los Cerritos tract. On that day the butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker are expected to roll up their sleeves and acquire some real callouses on their mitts wielding a pick and shovel to clear a way through the willows over the proposed right of way of Orange avenue.

There is a duplex plot. It is this. South San Francisco has acquired a park that is to front on Orange avenue. There is no Orange avenue. At the other end of where Orange avenue ought to be there is a tract known as Los Cerritos. Its citizenry, including its children, now go elsewhere than here to trade and to school. They belong to this city, but they are forced to go elsewhere to do their buying and to get police and fire protection because they are isolated.

The city has a petition before the railroad commission seeking to be allowed to cross the tracks of the Market Street Railways with Orange avenue. The hearing is slated for 10 a. m. on Tuesday, April 21, in the city hall before Commissioner Squires.

So, the city trustees, in solemn session Monday night, named Sunday, April 19, as Orange Avenue Day, when the street will be cut straight through the willows, along lines to be marked out by City Engineer Kneese. Then when Commissioner Squires arrives and wants to know what and where this Orange avenue is that wants to cross some street car tracks, he will be shown as well as told.

Quite a fancy little plot, and incidentally a project that will bring great profit and no inconsiderable amount of fun to the city and citizenry.

A committee headed by Trustee A. J. Eschelbach, whose idea it is, is developing plans for Orange Avenue Day.

Among these plans are: The formation of two teams, a North Side and South Side, to start at either end of the proposed extension. When they have chopped their way through the willows and have bumped, a barbecue will be held. Members of the Woman's Club will serve and the barbecue will be done by an expert. Who knows but some entertainment may be provided—a song and dance while the basted beef is being devoured?

While plans are still under process of formation the warning goes out from the city hall, from the council chambers wherein Mayor McNellis and his four cohorts sit bi-monthly, to the general public that no dates or out-of-town trips are to be countenanced on Sunday, April 19. Every man, woman and child who has the best interests of the city at heart is expected to start soaking his, her and its hands in brine to harden them for the few hours of shovel and pick wielding. There will be work. There will be fun. You are invited.

The Orange Avenue Day committee is composed of the following: A. J. Eschelbach, chairman; H. F. McNellis, Hugh McCaffrey, C. B. Hodgkin, Bobby Burns, B. H. Truax, George A. Kneese, Ira H. Potter and Harry J. Borba.

AUTO HITS STREET CAR DRIVER IS FINED \$50.00

Charles Johnson, 190 Gough street, paid a fine of \$50 in the court of Justice of the Peace Ed. Farrell on Monday morning following his arrest Sunday by Constable Ing.

The auto piloted by Johnson crashed into the rear end of a street car near Daly City, cutting and bruising the driver and three other occupants.

PLAN BENEFIT FOR CHURCH THURSDAY

Mrs. F. S. Dolley and Mrs. J. W. Coleberd will entertain next Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. F. S. Dolley, 612

MRS. WILLIAM THORPE GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY

Several friends of Mrs. William Thorpe gave her a surprise party, at her home on Miller avenue, Friday. Those present were Mesdames M. Caviglia, N. Dixon, F. Valentine, M. Dixon, Leone Ludwig, M. Martinelli, Cecil Mansau, S. Stoner, W. Regan, Mae Kaiser, E. Petroff, C. L. Creigh, and M. Marshall.

Grand evening for the benefit of the Methodist church. Guests are requested to come prepared to sew and bring a small silver offering. All who are interested are welcomed.

PAYS FINE ON ASSAULT CHARGE

**Recorder Hears Several
Cases on Monday
Morning**

Charged with assault and battery by A. Meier of this city. James J. Murray, sheet metal worker living at the Veranda Hotel, paid a fine of \$10 before City Recorder Ed Nolan Monday morning. It is alleged that during an altercation Murray brandished a knife and attempted to slash Meier.

A charge of disorderly drunkenness against Tom Douglas was dismissed. Joe Novick was convicted of drunkenness and paid a fine of \$10. He resides at the Ship Hotel, Isidoro Ibarra of Five Points, near Redwood City, was fined \$25 for reckless driving. Ibarra was arrested by Chief of Police Louis Belloni following a crash on San Bruno road Sunday. A. E. Galvin was a complaining witness.

Orange Avenue Hearing Set for Tuesday, April 21

Tuesday, April 21, at 10 a. m., in the City Hall, Commissioner Squires of the Railroad Commission will hear the city's petition to extend Orange avenue at grade across the tracks of the Southern Pacific and Market Street Railways to Los Cerritos tract and the highway. The date was announced Tuesday by John F. Davis, city attorney. It is planned to have Orange avenue cut through before that time so the commissioner may view it and the park site in the willows. Petitions are to be circulated by the chamber of commerce and these will be presented at the hearing. It is imperative that there be a large delegation present at the hearing.

ROAD VENDORS RULED OFF BY SUPERVISORS

**Fry Named Dairy Inspector
in Session
Monday**

REDWOOD CITY, March 19.—Passage of an ordinance to curb the activities of "sandwich wagons" and portable fruit and soft drink stands on the highways of San Mateo county was effected recently at a meeting of the board of supervisors.

This action was taken following an address by L. B. Schillings of the California Trading Post at Atherton, who said he represented 25 business members of the Highway Business Men's Association of San Mateo county.

The ordinance was one prepared by District Attorney Franklin Swart some time ago, but which was never passed. It prevents sales on the highway right of way and carries penalties for violations. On motion of Dr. C. V. Thompson, a member of the board, seconded by Supervisor Manuel Francis, the measure was passed. It will become effective in 30 days.

Maps Approved

A map of Valley Park subdivision of the South San Francisco Land & Improvement Company was approved by the board. The supervisors also approved a map of a subdivision for the Belle Monti Country Club.

The matter of the application of the Great Western Power Company for a franchise for power lines in the northern part of the county was laid over for the next meeting.

Steps to readjust the insurance carried on county funds were taken by the board today. The county treasurer said that treasury funds were insured for \$100,000 against theft or loss, and that there was rarely over \$10,000 in the treasury. The county has approximately half a million dollars in securities, and it is proposed to put a \$200,000 insurance on the securities and cut the cash policy to \$10,000. The matter was put over until the next regular meeting, April 6.

Name Dairy Inspector
On motion of Supervisor Thompson (Continued on page 5)

CURFEW SHALL RING RULES CITY FATHERS

**Eagles Given Permit to Hold Circus;
Decide Not to Hold July 4th
Celebration; Will Have Fall Fiesta**

Small boys and girls, and boys and girls who are not so small, but are under 16 years of age, may be reminded by the fire whistle that it is 9 o'clock and time they should be off the street. A communication from the Woman's Club addressed to the board of city trustees, in meeting Monday night, recommended more audible enforcement of the curfew law.

Chief of Police Belloni informed the board the law is being enforced and children under 16 are being sent home when seen on the streets after 9 o'clock, but the custom of sounding curfew is not now in vogue. Fire Marshal B. H. Truax and Chief of Police Belloni were named a committee to arrange for the ringing of the curfew.

A petition of property owners on the alley between Pine and Aspen avenues and from Linden to Cypress asking that pavement be laid was referred to the city engineer and the street committee. They will make a survey of the city, determine the paving that must be done and have it attended to.

The board instructed City Clerk McSweeney to write to the county

supervisors on behalf of the completion of Hillside boulevard. The action was determined upon following the reading of the report of that committee of the chamber of commerce.

An easement was granted the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company to cross Linden avenue and San Mateo road with pipe lines in the development of its drainage proposition west of the city.

T. P. Andrews of the Downtown Association, who is lobbying for the Bayshore highway in the state capital, acknowledged receipt of \$250 from the city to help defray expenses of the campaign. City Attorney Davis presented a resolution declaring the appropriation, which was adopted.

Buildings Permits Granted
John Tacchi was given permission to erect a one-story building on Baden avenue. Ernesto Carbone was given a permit for a bungalow in High School Park to cost \$4,000. Emilio Cortesi was given permission to build a store building and dwelling in Peck's Lots on the condition he abandon his present location as a store building.

EAGLES CIRCUS FROM MAY 12 TO 16

South City Aerie of Eagles was given a permit to conduct a circus at Railroad and Division streets from May 12 to 16 by the city trustees in session last Monday night. Dan Hyland appeared for the lodge to explain the nature of the event.

The Druids received permission to hold a benefit ball on April 19, 1925, from 2 p. m. to 1 a. m.

Other dance permits granted were: Francis Drake Lodge, F. and A. M., Friday evening, March 27; American Legion, Tuesday, March 17.

Wants City Hall Re-decorated
Mrs. Carrie Winterhalter urged the trustees to have the halls in the city hall re-tinted and to buy new shades for several of the windows. Mayor McNellis told her the ceilings would be attended to when the contractors had repaired them.

Decide Against July 4 Celebration
There will be no celebration of July 4th in this city. After some investigation it was developed that several members of the committee were present and after further search for records that Trustee Carl Blank was chairman. Committee men said the holiday observance seemed to be in disfavor because so many people planned to be out of town during the two-day holiday that accompanies the 4th. C. B. Hodgkin voiced some opposition to abandonment of the proposed holiday celebration, but he was argued down and Mayor McNellis dismissed the mythical committee with thanks. Plans will be laid for a fall celebration.

Re-zoning Discussed
City Attorney John F. Davis and City Engineer Kneese reported

ed a new map showing fire districts and the new zones was being prepared. Some discussion of the new bill was created by A. C. Buehler, B. J. Rodondi, Robert Burns and Mrs. Carrie Winterhalter.

Ordinance No. 132, amending the billboard ordinance to establish a bill license fee of \$20 per year in advance, was given first reading. Papers and conveyances for the parks will be negotiated shortly between the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company and the city trustees whereby the city will come into possession of the three plots of land.

Mayor McNellis, Trustees Blank, Cunningham, Eschelbach and McCaffrey, representing the entire board, were present, as were City Marshal Belloni, Fire Marshal Truax, City Engineer Kneese, City Clerk McSweeney and City Attorney Davis, and Building Inspector E. H. Lewis.

MRS. E. C. PECK HEADS COUNTY WOMAN'S CLUB

Mrs. E. C. Peck was elected president of the San Mateo County Federation of Women's Clubs, succeeding Mrs. L. E. Aubrey, on last Thursday at the annual meeting of the Woman's Federation at Burlingame. The national chairman of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Douglas White, representing the Better Homes Movement of America, will be the speaker at the Woman's Club on Thursday, April 2, in their club rooms.

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PLAN IMPROVEMENTS
IN FOURTH ADDITION

At the regular meeting of the board of trustees, Wednesday evening, the following building permits were granted: Duncan Beat on for a porch to his residence in Belle Air Park; George Reid, a garage in Third Addition; Frank Ruzic, a garage in Fourth Addition; Carl G. Osland, a dwelling in Huntington Park; H. Christman, a dwelling in Belle Air Park; W. L. Brazelton, a six-foot fence and shelter for storage of lumber; Leonard & Holt, for alterations to the real estate office, which they have taken over from Henderson & Burg.

Frank Petracosta requested that a light be erected at Fourth avenue and Elm street. Trustee Trager recommended that a light be erected on Mills avenue between Kains and San Bruno avenue. Engineer Klassen stated that everything necessary for the contemplated improvements in Fourth Addition would be in readiness at the next regular meeting of the board. The members of the board have planned to look over the ground Sunday morning. The city is having 1,000 maps printed. These maps will be available at the city hall and will be a great help to those seeking information about the city.

The luncheon given by the Ladies' Aid Society realized the sum of \$25 clear. Between 50 and 70 people attended.

Mr. Auslin of Los Angeles is building a new home on Linden avenue, Huntington Park, for S. Pearson of San Bruno Park.

The Martinelli family of South San Francisco have rented the house on Walnut street recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cribari.

The photographs of the school children are on display in the recorder's office.

STANFORD STUDENT
FILLS CHURCH
PULPIT

Youthful Minister Holds Big
Congregation at Church
on Peninsula

Stanford University has many students working their way through college in versatile ways. But only one of the self-supporting group can be said to be "preaching his way through." This honor is held by Leland G. Stanford, graduate law student, who registers from San Bruno, where he preaches at the Community Methodist Church. The student minister is not related to the founders of the university, though his name might lead to that inference.

Mr. Stanford assumed his San Bruno pulpit charge last September. Though not ordained, he had preached almost between college classes at Sunnyvale. Then the San Bruno flock heard of him and gave him a call.

In four months this young man's preaching (he is 24) and spiritual leadership has doubled the attendance at his church in San Bruno.

While the membership of his church is Methodist, the church itself is a community institution, the only Protestant church in the community of 3,000. He preaches to a mixed congregation of Methodists, Episcopalians, Seventh Day Adventists, Baptists, Lutherans and other denominationalists.

In his church of 50 members he has organized a young people's orchestra of nine pieces, a double male quartet, a ladies' quartet, weekly motion pictures, non-church community nights and local entertainment for the members.

Mr. Stanford turned to the pulpit largely to work his way through college, he says. He had been interested in public speaking while attending high school at San Diego.

He holds several fixed theories in his mind, among them the proposition that if anyone in the congregation goes to sleep, it is the speaker's fault. Consequently, he preaches short, interesting sermons.

"One should know what he is talking about, and go at it in a sensible way," he explains.

Mr. Stanford declares he is not a modernist, since "modernism will always change." A fundamentalist? "Yes, but I see fundamentalists differently than do some others."

"I believe in teaching and preaching and living the golden rule just as it was laid down by Confucius and Socrates hundreds of years before Christ, just as it was exemplified in the life of Christ, just as it is found in the teachings of an untold million other souls through the ages."

"I believe men are in harmony at heart and muddled in mind. My goal is to see humanity agree on the fundamentals and drop the

CIVIC LEAGUE TO
GIVE GARDEN PRIZES

The Civic League met in California Hall, Monday evening. All officers were present except Vice-President H. E. Burris. The second reading of the eighth amendment to the by-laws, doing away with the open house meeting was voted on and passed. A letter was sent to the trustees, asking that the name of the Huntington Park be changed, also the average car-stop be changed, also the average car-stop be changed, also the average car-stop be changed.

Last Friday evening, the first of the regular fire drills was held at the fire house, on San Mateo avenue, with Capt. Norman Nassitt in charge.

SCHOOL ELECTION, MARCH 27

The polls will be open at the Northbrae and Edgemont School for the school board election to be held Friday, March 27, from 2 p. m. until 7 o'clock. One trustee is to be elected for a three-year term. Trustee J. Cunningham's term expires and he will be up for re-election. Norman Nassitt of Sylvan avenue is also a candidate. The clerks in charge of the polls are as follows: Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Sonegar, and Mrs. W. N. Holliday at the Edgemont School, and Mrs. J. Cunningham, Mrs. Ledwith, and Mrs. Gallagher at the Northbrae School.

Mrs. Isagi, former resident of San Bruno, has moved into the Barnett home on Sylvan avenue, and will reside there during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett.

Entry cards for the children's pet exhibition in the Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, April 7 and 8, can be obtained from the teachers of both schools before next Friday.

Mrs. Irvine, wife of the Rev. G. W. Irvine of Grace Presbyterian Church of San Francisco, attended the luncheon at the Methodist church, last Wednesday afternoon. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. Sgan of San Francisco and Mrs. William Noble of Daly City.

Preaching Way
Through College

LELAND G. STANFORD

Rubbish of improved theory." And since he believes the heart of humanity is good, he declares doctors should get to work on its head. As to dogmatism, "it gives me a pain," Mr. Stanford says frankly.

Other preachers have declared young Stanford to be one of the best in the San Francisco conference. Whether this will lead him to remain in the pulpit after receiving the doctor of jurisprudence degree from Stanford Law School next summer, he does not yet know.

The student preacher's versatility is indicated further by the fact that when he was a member of the Stanford Advertising Club of Palo Alto last year he competed for the local club at the Pacific coast convention of ad clubs in the three-minute talk contest.

SAN MATEO BANK BLDG.

SOLD FOR \$75,000

The Peninsula Acceptance Corporation has just purchased the National Bank building on the southeast corner of B and Third avenue in San Mateo for \$75,000. The building was formerly owned by the Thomas Coleman Co.

It has a 51 foot frontage on B street and 110 foot frontage on Third avenue.

The Acceptance Corporation will open a branch office of the concern when the bank moves into its new building.

Tall trees are now successfully transplanted by means of a newly invented machine.

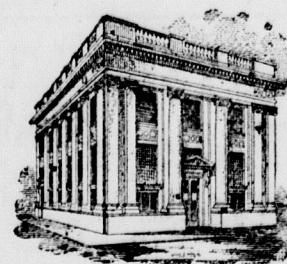
NORTHBRAE P. T. A.
HAS BIG MEETING

The Northbrae Parent-Teacher Association met in the school house Tuesday evening. After the reading of the minutes, Mrs. Cunningham reported that the arrangements for the whist party were progressing favorably. The following committee was appointed to find ways and means to secure appropriate films for the moving picture machine: Mr. Hall, Mrs. Maguire, and Mrs. J. Cunningham. Mrs. Sellick, Mrs. Mackey, and Mrs. Hallett were appointed to see what steps could be taken to get the improvements for the Northbrae School house, which the increase in the attendance of the scholars demands. Miss Jones asked for the co-operation of the P. T. A. in taking the children to Golden Gate Park at a future date. The mothers pledged their support. Mrs. Mackey, Mrs. Senger, Mrs. Lombardi and Miss Jones were appointed as a committee to arrange for a party to be given to the prospective members and their friends. Miss Bassetti asked for a picture of her room, and was asked to secure prices for a picture of President Coolidge. Miss O'Donnell had the highest numbers of mothers, of children in her class, which was 11, attending the meeting. Mrs. Ledwith and Mrs. Gallagher gave interesting talks on P. T. A. topics. Mrs. Gallagher offered the P. T. A. magazines and pins for sale. About 40 people attended the meeting. There has been an increase of about 20 during the past year. The meeting adjourned to meet again on April 14.

Entry cards for the children's pet exhibition in the Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, April 7 and 8, can be obtained from the teachers of both schools before next Friday.

Mrs. Irvine, wife of the Rev. G. W. Irvine of Grace Presbyterian Church of San Francisco, attended the luncheon at the Methodist church, last Wednesday afternoon. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. Sgan of San Francisco and Mrs. William Noble of Daly City.

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LEGAL

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR TRUSTEE OF ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of South San Francisco School District, County of San Mateo, State of California, that the Annual Meeting for the Election of School Trustees will be held on March 27th, 1925, at the Grand Avenue Public Schoolhouse in said district. There will be one Trustee to elect for three years. The polls will be open at 8 o'clock a. m. and kept open until 8 o'clock p. m. The officers appointed to conduct the election are: A. C. Kleemeyer, Inspector; Geo. Klesling, Judge; G. Carl Weber, Judge. H. A. CAVASSA, W. H. DUNNING, C. C. CONRAD, Clerk. School Trustees, South San Francisco School District. Dated: March 6, 1925. 3-12-3t

An explorer now on the River Amazon in Brazil is sending reports by wireless to the Royal Geographical Society in London.

LEGAL

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, to and for the County of San Mateo, to the said administrator at the office of J. E. McCurdy, Coleman Building, San Mateo, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California. Dated this 26th day of February, 1925.

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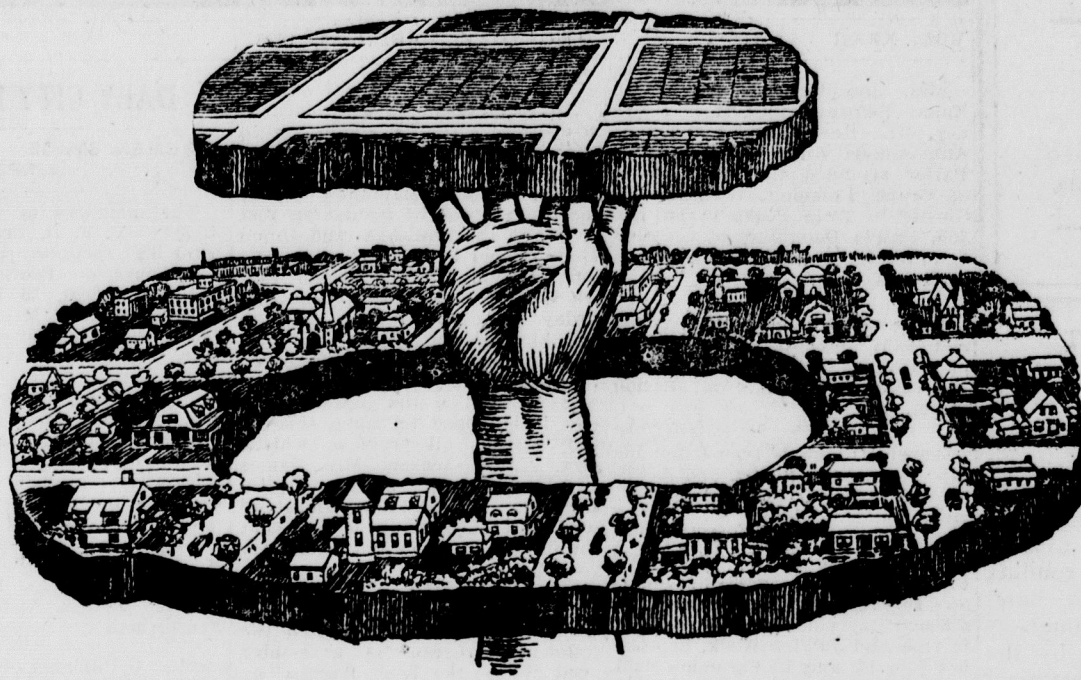
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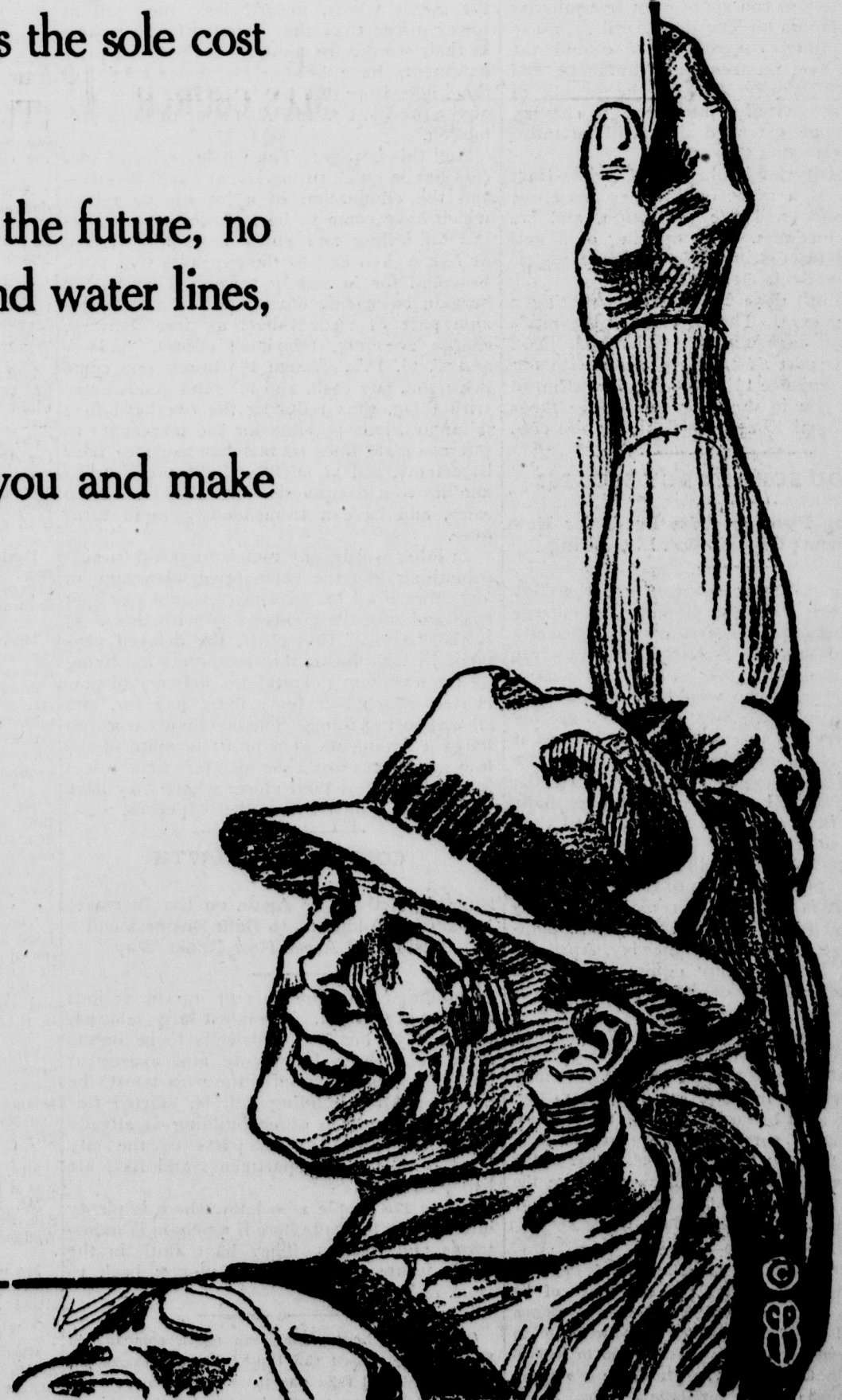
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THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1925.

THREE THINGS YOU CAN DO TO SECURE THE EXTENSION OF ORANGE AVENUE

City Trustees Have Planned Their Case Well; Its Success Depends Upon Your Support and Assistance

Again the railroad commission is going to decide the merits of the city's plea for the right to extend Orange avenue to Los Cerritos tract. The case of the city has been strengthened greatly since the hearing last year. The purchase of a park in the area to be opened by Orange avenue will influence the commission, it is believed. More evidence for the cause has been collected by the city officials. Three things remain to be done and they must be done by the individual citizen of the community.

The city fathers have declared Sunday, April 19, as "Orange Avenue Day." It is proposed to cut Orange avenue out of the willows, so the commissioner who hears the city's case can see exactly what is wanted and what areas are opened by the street. If you can possibly spare the day, prepare now to do your part on the business end of a pick or shovel. Food of the best will be provided when your labors are finished. That is task number one.

The second does not require so much manual labor. It is the mere signing of a petition which will be presented by the chamber of commerce. The more signatures on these petitions the greater will be their influence on the commission.

Thirdly, if you can spare even five minutes from your labors on Tuesday, April 21, go to the city council chambers and attend the hearing. There is strength in numbers, and if the commissioners believe the people of this city are vitally interested in having Orange avenue extended they will be influenced in the verdict they return.

The necessity for joining Los Cerritos tract to the city is a great one. They need our schools, police and fire protection, and we need their business. The opening of a golf course and tract across the highway means more business this city can secure.

The city has done its part in preparing a very strong case. The success of the city's petition now rests with the individual. You can do your part as outlined above with but little inconvenience to yourself. It will mean money for you in the long run. Save those two days, April 19 and April 21, for the city.

ARE YOU FOR THE BOY SCOUTS?

Local Troop Plans to Raise Funds for New Equipment; Organization Is Growing

According to their scoutmaster, the Boy Scouts of this city are planning to enlarge their membership. Several men in this city have backed the Boy Scouts since they were first organized, but it is only lately that a man was secured who would devote his time to leading the boys. Now more boys are becoming interested in scouting, which is as it should be. This city should have many more than a single troop. Scouting keeps the youngsters from hanging around pool halls and places they shouldn't frequent until they are of age, at least.

The purpose of this editorial is not to remind you of the worthiness of the scout movement. That is universally recognized. It is to remind you that the Boy Scouts are planning a whist party for Wednesday, April 15. They need funds to buy equipment. Your presence there will be evidence that you back scouting.

A brief press dispatch the other day said 1,500 residents of the town of Lavoie, Wyo., had lost their homes through the ruling of a federal judge that the town site must be vacated because the Ohio Oil Company holds a government lease on the land, which is in the Salt Creek oil field. That ruling calls for investigation at Washington; likewise the lease to the corporation, which has made so many people homeless.—Sacramento Bee.

Some 20,000 measures were introduced into the sixty-eighth congress during the two years of its life. Only a small percentage of these, of course, were enacted into law. But the introduction of so many bills denotes a menacing condition in legislative bodies in this country. There are too many laws—too much trivial legislation.—Long Beach Press-Telegram.

That vicious circle again: The farmer can now get higher prices for his wheat, so he can pay higher prices for implements and labor so he can raise more wheat.—Vacaville Reporter.

THE BARGAIN BASEMENT

Some Suggestions for the Thoughtful in the Policies Which Regulate These Modern Department Store Features

There are some ideas worth considering, even though it may not be possible to take advantage of them, in a survey of the conduct and success or failure of underprice basements of big department stores throughout the country that was recently made by the Sales Promotion Division of the National Retail Dry Goods Association. This association, membership in which is held by progressive firms in all the chief cities, is a sort of research bureau, among other things, gathering facts of use to dry goods merchants and distributing them.

Bargain basements have been operated by big stores for a number of years, and probably the general opinion is that they are largely a means of getting rid of stuff that could not be sold in the regular departments and of disposing of other goods the quality of which is below the regular standard, the chief point of the bargain basement being price. Possibly that was the original idea, and low price is still the main inducement to buyers.

Merchants who have made their basement stores pay, however, according to this survey, are the ones who do not regard these basements as in any way outlets for their upstairs departments, but wholly separate and independent enterprises. Moreover, these successful men have insisted on good quality in the goods which, nevertheless, they sell at lower prices than they could offer elsewhere in their stores. In some cases these low-price basements have become the busiest part of the whole store, the producers of a chief part of the profits, and the chief spur of sales promotion.

And this is why: The whole secret of success lies in quick turnovers, at small profits—and the elimination of a lot of the things which have come to be regarded as essential in retail selling, and which through direct cost or risk of loss add to the expenses that must be cared for in selling prices. That is, the bargain basements cut out all or a considerable part of such things as free delivery, charge accounts, telephone orders, "holds," and C. O. D.'s. When the purchasers come in person, pay cash, and take the goods away with them, thus reducing the overhead to a minimum, it is possible for the merchants to put complete lines of merchandise into their basements, sell at such a slight profit as to amount to a continuous succession of bargain sales, and have a tremendously rapid turnover.

In other words, any merchant could furnish something like the same price advantage in any store if all his customers would pay spot cash and take the goods away with them. It is the "service" that costs, the delayed payments, which means that customers are living on the merchant's capital, the delivery of purchases, which somebody must pay for, and all that sort of thing. The merchants who run bargain basements at a profit in spite of the low prices, are not able to offer these prices in other parts of their stores where they have to provide against these other expenses.

CONTINUED GROWTH

Building Activity Is Again on the Increase; Valuable Additions to Both Business and Residential Areas Now Under Way

Buildings continue to crop up in various sections of the city. The latest large addition to the city's business district is to be in the form of a three-story store and apartment building. Construction of the next latest, the new postoffice building will be started this week. The phone office building is already completed. And in all parts of the city bungalows, houses, apartments and flats are being built.

There are people who know there is plenty of money to be made here if a person is industrious and thrifty. They have faith in the city's future and put their money back to work in buildings.

Opera sung by an American opera company in English is promised the United States the coming year. That will take one more excuse away from the "tired business man" who would rather stay at home and read the sporting page than go to a movie. We are reminded, however, that Puccini's "Madame Butterfly" was first produced in English, but it did not become a whale of a success until "Madame" became "Madama" and it was sung in Italian.—Stockton Record.

Live Local Topics

COLMA, DALY CITY, LAWDALE

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THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1925.

NO. 12.

Mrs. Josephine Johnson, Mrs. Emma Schwarz, Mrs. Rose Sweet, Mrs. Rena Mathias and Mrs. Ann Amelia Rose of El Carmelo Parlor attended the official visit of Grand President Catherine E. Glover to Twin Peaks Parlor No. 135, Native Daughters of the Golden West, in San Francisco last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Degliantoni and baby daughter, who resided in Crocker Tract, have moved into the Arata Apartments on Mission street.

Angelo Olcese is remodeling his Mission street building, and it will contain several up-to-date apartments.

El Carmelo Parlor of Native Daughters has secured headquarters in San Francisco for the Admission Day celebration to be held in Diamond Jubilee Week, September 7 to 12, and El Carmelo's drill team will take part in the monster parade.

The drill team of El Carmelo Parlor met in the Daly City Auditorium last Friday evening. Drillmaster Frances Bracken was present. The girls are making fine progress in their drill.

Mrs. Sereni of Lawdale was in town last Saturday.

Joseph Powers of San Francisco was a Colma visitor on Friday of this week.

The California History Club of El Carmelo Parlor No. 131, Native Daughters of the Golden West, met at the residence of Miss Elsie Forsell in Daly City last Wednesday evening.

Master Paul Martin von Kempf of Lawdale presented the R. S. Thornton School with some handsome trees on Arbor Day, which was observed by the planting of trees and flowers under the direction of Mrs. Josephine T. Johnson, Mrs. Pauline Henderson, Miss Hazel Madonna and Miss Marguerite Adriance. An appropriate program of songs and recitations was given by the following pupils: Tosca Pacini, Nell Micholetti, James Miller, Paul Martin von Kempf and Angela Luchesi. Singing by the entire school marked the conclusion of the ceremonies.

A mission in Italian will be conducted by the Rev. G. Schenone, C. M. at Holy Angels' Church, on San Pedro avenue, from Sunday, March 22, to Sunday, March 29.

Mrs. R. W. Haubrich, Miss Sylvia Haubrich, Bennie Haubrich and Stephen Fischer motored to Cupertino last Sunday.

The comedy which was presented by the Santana and Santangel Clubs in the New Colma Theater last Monday evening was called "The Hen-Pecked Husband," and the following young people took part: Anita Varni, Rosa Baner, Marguerite Grady, Mansueto Granucci, Ernesto Granucci, Albert Belli and Richard Zipser.

Paul Williams attended a surprise birthday party tender Miss Lillian Fernleaf of Daly City last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Neil O. Best will soon return home from the Wakefield Sanitarium, where she has been ill. John Dagliantoni of Mission street is conducting an accordion orchestra at the Winter Garden Dance Hall in San Francisco on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. John Steele of Daly City are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born last Tuesday at St. Joseph's Hospital, in San Francisco. Mrs. Steele was Miss Margaret Callan of Colma.

The girls of Jefferson Union High School, under the supervision of Misses E. Torello and Earle of the high school faculty, are preparing to make cretonne curtains and cushions for the rest rooms in the new high school building.

Prof. W. J. Savage was toastmaster at the dinner which followed the christening of Charles Kenneth Fellows, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fellows, in Daly City last Sunday.

Mrs. Von Kempf of Lawdale was a Colma visitor last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schwarz of San Francisco were in town last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman and little daughter, Gertrude, of School street have moved to San Francisco.

Miss Louise Merlo and Miss Sylvia Haubrich spent last Thursday in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wall of Crocker Tract visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lorenz of Mission street last Friday evening.

Miss Cresta of San Francisco was in town last Saturday.

CITIZENS ASKED TO AID

All local residents are asked to co-operate with the committee in charge of the last of the series of three whist parties sponsored by the Colma Community Center for the purpose of furnishing rest rooms in the new Jefferson Union High School building. This affair will be held in Holy Angels' Parish Hall on San Pedro avenue Saturday evening, April 4, through the kindness of the Rev. Father Charles Bertola. Dancing will follow the whist party. Nearly \$100 was cleared on the March whist, and it is hoped to make this affair surpass all previous whists. Mrs. M. M. Jensen, Mrs. James Henderson, Miss Torelli and Miss Earle are doing their utmost to insure its success. It is said that there will be a whist prize for each table.

The junior class of Jefferson Union High School presented the following program at assembly: "Out Where the West Begins," by the school; "Her Poppies Plunged a Cloth of Gold," by Louis Plank; "Pony songs by girls' chorus," "The Golden Gate," by Anita Varni; "How San Francisco Got Its Name," by Lawrence Vireno; "Bare Brown Hills," by Edward Goldkuhl; "A Flight of Mark Twain," by Victor Saarinen; "I Love You, California," by the school; "The Little Red School House of Early Days," by Evelyn Wright; "A Golden Wedding," by Marion Millett; "A Tribute to Illustrious Native Sons," by Mildred Ross; "Jumping Frog of Calaveras County," by A. Saarinen; "California, Here I Come," by the school; "The Exile," by Mark Worst; "My Place of Dreams," by Edna Hooton; "America," by the school.

Mrs. Williams and family recently motored to El Verano, where they visited the Baines family, who formerly resided in Colma.

The Girls' Club of Colma received a letter of thanks from the disabled veterans of Palo Alto Veterans' Hospital. The club sent a sum of money to the hospital for the purchase of books for their library.

Mrs. Louis Nava of Rainier street spent Tuesday of last week in San Francisco.

The History Club of El Carmelo Parlor No. 131, Native Daughters of the Golden West, will visit the M. H. De Young Memorial Museum Saturday, March 28, and will be entertained in the California room by Miss Dolores Barron and Dr. George Barron.

The members of the Girls' Club of Colma enjoyed their monthly supper at their clubrooms in the Colma Community Center building on Dunk street.

REDWOOD CITY TO BALLOT FOR IMPROVEMENTS

REDWOOD CITY, March 19.—The Redwood City board of trustees Monday night took steps to acquaint the various organizations of Redwood City with the necessity for the improvements planned in a special bond election next Tuesday.

Throughout the remainder of this week, fraternal and civic bodies will be urged to give careful thought to the four propositions which will appear on the ballots, and to vote in favor of them. The propositions are:

1. Alteration and enlargement of the present city hall on Webster street between Washington and Main streets. Cost \$45,000.
2. Construction and completion of an additional reservoir for the municipal water system upon the property of the city at the southwesterly end of Brewster avenue, near the southwesterly city limits. Cost \$30,000.
3. Construction of curbs, sidewalks and pavement fronting the park bounded by Howland, Standish, Warren, and Allerton streets. Cost \$7,000.
4. Construction of sidewalks fronting the park bounded by Marshall, Winslow, Bradford and Hamilton streets. Cost \$1,000.

Decision to call for a vote on these propositions was reached by the board of trustees after a careful study of the needs of the growing city.

The present city hall is entirely too small to accommodate all of the departments of the municipal government, and it is in need of repair.

The additional reservoir is declared to be a great necessity. Last

DALY CITY NOTES

FIREMEN STAGE SURPRISE PARTY

The members of Company No. 4, D. C. V. F. D., held a most interesting surprise party at their fire house on Peoria street, last Saturday night, in honor of the home-coming of Mrs. A. Fonseca, 1056 Brunswick street, who has been visiting her daughter in Santa Barbara.

The evening was spent in dancing. Music was furnished by Laurence Vireno, George Tocallino, Ray Ottoboni and Roy Scramaglia. Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames E. Cuneo, R. Foppiano, A. Chestney, A. Bodien, J. Viotti, A. Fonseca, E. Olietti, the Mesdames A. Vireno, E. O'Connor, and the Messrs. Augustin and J. Fenstermaker.

Mrs. A. Cobleigh of Peoria street entertained 12 of her relatives at her home last Tuesday in honor of her birthday.

Little Margaret Fahy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fahy, formerly of this city, celebrated her birthday with ten little girl friends at her home, 1482 Fifth avenue, San Francisco, last Saturday afternoon. Her home was beautifully decorated in St. Patrick's colors. Mrs. G. Augustin and children of 501 Evergreen avenue attended.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Continolo and children, Roselle and Frank, of 439 Evergreen avenue, are spending a month in Santa Barbara, where Mr. Continolo is engaged in business.

F. Michaelson of 140 Miriam street has been quite ill this week.

Russel Wegner of 250 Peoria street, accompanied the Hi Seniors of the Mission High School on a hike to Big Lagoon last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Beach and children of Greenville, Calif., are spending the week with Mrs. L. Brown of 121 Hillcrest Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. King, parents of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney King of 199 Vista Grande avenue, left last Monday for Tacoma, Wash., after having spent four months in this city.

A. Mehl of Willis street, now a patient of Agnew's Hospital, is improving rapidly from his nervous breakdown, and it has been reported that he is expected home in May.

Gena Schrieber of 499 Vista Grande avenue is remodeling his home.

Little Robert Foss of 456 Vista Grande avenue returned last Sunday from the San Mateo Preventorium, where he has been confined for a year. Little Robert is now in perfect health.

The host of friends of Mrs. Neil Best of Peoria street will be glad to hear of her return from the Wakefield Sanitarium.

Mrs. M. White of Theta avenue and Mrs. B. Rollin of Hillcrest Drive have left for Visalia, Calif., to attend the annual state convention of the Royal Neighbors.

Mrs. Dave Cramer of Miriam street has purchased a lot on Miriam and Park avenues and is contemplating erection of a bungalow there.

George Haller of Hanover street is sporting around in a new Hudson coach.

SOUTH S. F. SUE

A. J. Kane, head of the Kane detective agency, Tuesday filed suit against the City of South San Francisco and its former mayor, George W. Holston, for \$584.99. This amount, he claims, is the balance due him for services rendered the city during the past two years. Kane's activities in South San Francisco caused an upheaval in politics in that city last year.

If you are looking for reliable head lettuce, tried by many gardeners, order Mosberg and Mignon etc. The latter is a favorite summer variety with Western gardeners.

summer the fire department, at certain periods and in certain districts of the city, had only its chemicals to use in case of fire. City officials declare that the reservoir is needed, whether or not Hetch Hetchy water is made available.

The sidewalks and street work around the parks are improvements that have been in demand for some time.

DAHLIAS INTERESTING TO PLANT ENTHUSIAST

Dahlias, one of the most popular flowers in Northern California, holding the interest of thousands of persons who go every year to see the dahlia shows held in the state are easily grown. Dahlias should be planted from February 1 until July 1, preferably in May. The bulb should be covered with four inches of soil, pressed in firmly. The young plant must be watered freely when budding and fertilized with manure or straw. When the flowers are to be used for exhibition purposes, the plant should be trimmed of all but the single dahlia. Dig the tubers after the frost cuts the foliage down.

TITLE TO COMMUNITY PROPERTY IS ASKED

A petition to vest title to community property is on file in the county clerk's office in behalf of Mrs. Hannah Smith, widow of the late Charles T. Smith, who died February 11, 1923. The couple had community property consisting of lot 18, block 42, in the Lyon & Hoag subdivision at Burlingame. The widow seeks title to her husband's share.

Mrs. Smith lives at 14 Channing road, Burlingame. Her attorney is T. H. Limpert.

GET READY FOR PESTS

It is a good time to lay in bug ammunition while you think about it now. The stores are crowded and service is slow in the spring. See that you have arsenic and Bordeaux mixtures in stock and that sprays are in good order. You can not start too early on the pests.

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No. 278, F. & A. M., meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Fraternal Hall, first floor. G. W. Hardy, Jr., Master. G. W. Holman, Secretary.

SOUTH CITY LODGE NO. 1172
F. & A. M., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers welcome. J. J. Kelley, Dictator. Lester Howard, Sec'y, P. O. Box 327.

SOUTH CITY LODGE NO. 1173
F. & A. M., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers welcome. J. J. Kelley, Dictator. Lester Howard, Sec'y, P. O. Box 327.

SAN MATEO CHAPTER
No. 196, R. A. M., meets every Tuesday at 8 p. m. in the City Council rooms, City Hall. Visiting comrades welcome. G. H. EAHART, Sec'y. 23 West Bellevue Ave. Phone S. M. 418-B.

Bernard McCaffrey Post No. 88
S. A. American Legion, meets every Thursday at 8 p. m. in the City Council rooms, City Hall. Visiting comrades welcome. W. J. Hyland, Commander. W. P. Vargus, Adjutant.

PROGRESS CAMP No. 125
Woodmen of the World. Meets second Wednesday of each month in Fraternal Hall. Visiting brothers welcome. Frank Mollie, Camp Commander. Daniel McSweeney, Camp Clerk.

Tippecanoe Tribe, No. 111
Impd. O. R. M., meets every Friday at 8 o'clock in Fraternal Hall. Visiting brothers welcome. A. Sanborn, Sachem. A. Madaran, Collector of Wapum. M. Bernard, Chief of Records.

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Tunnels Cut Into Steep Sides of Rock and Filled With Black Blasting Powder

THE scenic beauty of the coast of California compares favorably with any coast of the United States, and in order that motorists may enjoy the pleasures of a tour along the water front, the California Highway Commission is building roads, which skirt the shore in some almost inaccessible places. One of these is the



BLASTED MATERIAL REMOVED BY STEAM SHOVEL



ONE OF THE BLASTS

Ventura Coast from Oxnard in Ventura County about fifty miles west of Los Angeles to San Juan Capistrano about fifty miles south-east of Los Angeles. The coast in some places is very rugged and precipitous and when the engineer has surveyed the proposed route he finds that the contractor has a real problem to meet in reducing the route to grade.

One of the most difficult sections of this highway is between Oxnard and Santa Monica where the Santa Monica mountains slope to the sea. In this section, which is known to the California Highway Commission as Division No. 7, there is a stretch of ten miles from which more than a million cubic yards of rock and earth have been removed. The road bed must be very firm to stand the constant pounding of the waves and this required that in some cases the road bed be benched in solid rock. From one section 3,500 feet long,

there were removed 250,000 cubic yards of material. To some sections the steam shovels and other equipment had to be brought by water as they were inaccessible by land. Landing the equipment was difficult and dangerous as the shore is very rocky with a high sea running at times. To obtain the proper grade the hard igneous rock had to be benched with explosives. This was accomplished by lowering ropes and ladders from the edge of the cliff to the point where tunnels were drilled into the rock to provide pockets for the explosives. The drilling was done by compressed air fed through pipes carried over the edge of the cliff. The tunnels were driven into the hillside to a depth sufficient to give the required width of road, and then cross tunnels or laterals were driven at right angles to provide chambers, about every thirty feet apart, in which to load the explosives.

As the object was to remove the rock and throw it down the cliff out of the way rather than to break it up, a slow acting explosive was used. This consisted of Black Blasting Powder in 25 lb. kegs. As many as 250 of these kegs (6,250 lbs.) were placed in one chamber of the tunnel and a single blast often consisted of several of these heavy charges totaling 2,500 kegs or 40 tons of powder. After loading a tunnel it was necessary to fill the rest of the tunnel with earth or other tamping material as was available. A large portion of the earth used for tamping had to be lowered down the side of the cliff in buckets, because when driving the tunnel the waste was taken out in wheelbarrows and dumped over the side of the cliff into the ocean.

South San Francisco High School BLUE AND WHITE

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THROUGH A BIRDSEYE

The science classes are enjoying the new moving picture machine. First term examinations are being held this week, and tomorrow report cards will be issued. Mr. Postress, coach of baseball, is having a pretty fair turnout for practice.

The men of the faculty met last Thursday evening at Robinson's for their weekly "feed". Miss Ludeman looks charming in her new bob.

The attendance and scholarship pennants have suddenly disappeared from Mr. Weller's and Mr. Miller's rooms. In whose room will they show up when the records are figured tomorrow?

A notice in the office shows that alumni in University of California are doing excellent work. Ray Fisher has left school and gone to Ohio.

The night school still keeps up an attendance between 60 and 80. Miss Beatrice Maple is the coach of the senior play this semester. If you don't believe the low freshmen have a live treasurer, just read the signs she writes on the blackboard.

VOLLEY BALLERS DEFEAT SAN MATEO

The Volley ball team defeated San Mateo in a game played on our court Friday by a score of 73-23. The game was featured by many good plays. Those who played on our team were: Zilpha Dunlap, captain; Silvia Thomas, Mary Dmytryk, Helen Fischer, Olga Veglia, Geraldine Castro, Myrtle James, Dorothy Truax and May Jennings.

Our team is looking forward to the game with Redwood City tomorrow. This game will determine the championship of the northern section.

THE POOR EDITOR

The editor sits around and wonders what to write; She looks for news the whole day long. And prays for it at night. Oh, let's all help the editor. With the contribution stuff; Oh, let's deluge her with newsy news. Until she cries En-ough.

FRESHMEN DEFEAT HALF MOON BAY

The freshmen played a basketball game with Half Moon Bay on March 6. The game was featured by many good plays, and through the team work of our boys we won the game, the score being 20-14. We arranged to play them again March 13 on our court. Friday our freshmen played Half Moon Bay's freshmen and sophomores combined. The game was a walkaway for our frosh, as they were leading by 13 or 14 points at the end of the first quarter. The game ended by a score of 42-9. The boys had good team work and were fast players so Half Moon Bay was no match for them.

The team is composed of L. Fisher, R. Fisher, G. Capitelli, J. Mummert, A. Desordo, R. Kauffman, M. Enderlin. Mr. Roney made a good job of refereeing the game.

HIGH JUNIORS HAVE PICTURES TAKEN

On Wednesday, March 19, the members of the High Junior Class took a trip to San Francisco. The purpose of the trip was to have their class pictures taken at the Lafayette Studio for the Iris.

LOW SOPHOMORES ELECT

On Monday, March 9, the Low Sophomores held a meeting for the purpose of electing new officers. Those elected were: Vincent Pelsenthal, vice-president; Dorothy Learmonth, Home Room committee; Bernice Maxey and Charles Roudabaugh tied for class Blue and White reporter.

Would Divide Cost

The young vacationist who had become engaged to the pretty girl received information that led him to question her. "Is it true that since you've come here you've been engaged to Bill, Arthur, George and Harry as well as me?" The girl assumed an air of great disdain and hauteur. "What is that to you?" she demanded. "Just this," he replied, gently. "If it's so, and you have no objection, we fellows will chip in together to buy an engagement ring." —Birmingham Age-Herald.

Suez Canal has no locks and is 100 miles long, while the Panama Canal is 40 miles in length.

ROAD VENDORS RULED OFF BY SUPERVISORS

(Continued from page 1)

son, George Fry of La Honda was appointed dairy inspector of San Mateo county. Fry's name was brought up at the last meeting of the board, but a motion to appoint him then was defeated by a vote of Thompson and Francis, who said they would wait until Chairman John MacBain was present. Chairman MacBain presided today.

War On Rubbish
The supervisors passed a resolution to instruct the county fire warden to keep the highways in the La Honda district free of rubbish thrown by picnickers. County Clerk Elizabeth M. Kneese was instructed to notify traffic officers of the county that to arrest all persons found throwing trash on the highways.

Bill Protested
County Surveyor George Kneese told the board that there was a bill before the state legislature which would make it necessary to have maps of subdivisions fronting on the state highways submitted to the state engineers for approval. Kneese said this law was ill-advised and he recommended that the board act against it. The supervisors instructed the clerk to write to the representatives of the county in the state legislature, asking them to help defeat the proposed law.

Sheriff Gets Aide
At the request of Sheriff T. C. McGovern, the board hired Jules Jara as an assistant and night man at the county jail. The sheriff said that his present force of men was obliged to work overtime a great deal because of lack of help.

The supervisors were notified by the State Board of Health that the tuberculosis pavilion operated in connection with the Community Hospital at Beresford would be subsidized. The board was commended for maintaining an establishment such as the Community Hospital.

A special meeting of the board will be held on March 23 to consider school bond matters.

Postal savings bank depositors in Japan number nearly 29,000,000, seven times the number in this country.

Kiddies' Evening Story

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

Two Years Old

Every one is, at one time or another, two years old. Every one has been a baby at one time or another. The same time as every one else, but after having spent just the same length of time in the world. No one who has been in the world a year and a half suddenly, overnight, becomes two years old. There are no handiaps in this race. No one is allowed to be ahead of one's time. But every one can get as much into the time as possible, some more than others.

Peggy was two years old. It was just as much of an event in the family as though no one else had ever been two years old. That made it so nice. Yet Peggy's brother had been two years old right in their very own family. He was almost ten now.

But Peggy was two. And every one in the house was shouting about it. There was Becky, who was busy in the kitchen talking to herself now. Becky didn't talk much in the very early morning. If you spoke to her she mumbled. And her mouth looked funny, too. It went in and looked queer and her lips looked thin and rather long and were pressed tightly together. "You mustn't ask her why she doesn't talk to you when she first gets up," Peggy's mother had said. "She's sensitive about her teeth."

Peggy puzzled over that. Why was Becky sensitive about her teeth at one hour and not at another? Sensitive, it seemed, meant the same as being hurt in a person's feelings.

Coldest condition in the world is that of frozen helium gas, which is within one degree of theoretical absolute zero.

WHO'S WHO in the HIGH SCHOOL

Editorial Note—This is the fifth of a series of sixteen articles, written for the purpose of making you acquainted with the teachers in our schools.

Robert E. Reed
Nebraska was the birthplace of Robert E. Reed, head of the mathematics department and director of part-time education. Weeping Water was the town which gave him his first twelve years of education. He was a member of the first graduating class from the Weeping Water Academy, a Congregational school. A four year scholarship from this school permitted Mr. Reed to complete his course at Doane College, Crete, Nebraska, where he specialized in mathematics and music, receiving the degrees of A. B. (magna cum laude) and Bachelor of Music.

Musicians generally do not have a trend toward athletics. It was true in Mr. Reed's case. His present enthusiasm was developed during college days. By forcing a body to obey averse mind, he soon enjoyed playing football and basketball, and won letters in track for low hurdles and broad jump.

He was active in debating and was president of the college debating club for one semester. In the orchestra he played the clarinet for two years, and was the accompanist to the glee club for three years.

In the year that followed graduation he was vice-principal of the Franklin Academy, Franklin, Nebraska. The call to military service then came, and though his advancement was rapid to the position of sergeant in the 23rd Machine Gun Battalion of the 8th Division, California. He reached France just two days before the signing of the armistice. After being discharged, he enrolled in the University of Nebraska, and took post-graduate work for one semester. The next two years he held the position of principal of the Bayard High School, Bayard, Nebraska.

Coming west connections were almost immediately made at South San Francisco, and he is now completing his fourth year here. The first year he taught mathematics, physical education, and was the director of the part-time school. The state law, in providing for the education of our children, takes note of the fact that many are compelled to go to work before the age of maturity. That their education shall not be discontinued at the age of 16, employers are required to permit every child to attend school one hour a day until he is 18 years of age. Mr. Reed's duty as director is to see that employers obey the law and that every child between the ages of 16 and 18 is attending school. This is a task that entails an endless amount of extra time and worry.

Casting about for more worlds to conquer, he began his second year here by adding night school teaching and organizing a school orchestra. Continuously busy with all this work, he has recently organized a second orchestra. The two significant features about orchestra practice are that Mr. Reed takes raw material and really makes a successful orchestra, and that 8 a. m. attendance is required at all times.

Mr. Reed is an earnest social and church worker. He is a lover of outdoor sports, and no one is called on quite so frequently as he to escort school, church or private groups of young people on hikes, swimming or skating parties. He is a talented musician; as a piano accompanist he appears very frequently in the bay region, and has been heard numbers of times over the radio.

His devotion and courtesy to his mother are qualities that boys and girls would do well to emulate.

Fine Distinction Made Between Common Words

"Loan" as a verb is extensively used in the United States, and there is some authority for such usage since it has so appeared from time to time in literature over the last four or five hundred years. Such usage, however, is frowned upon by grammarians who insist that "loan" is a noun only, says the Literary Digest.

Dictionary, which must be stymie recorders of the language as it is used, recognize "loan" as a verb, meaning "to lend money, especially on interest," and Doctor Vizetelly in his "Desk Book of Errors in English" says: "Loan, lend; one may raise (put an end to) a 'loan' by paying both principal and interest, and another may 'lend' money to do so. The use of 'loan' as a verb, meaning 'to grant the loan of or lend, as ships, money, linen, provisions, etc.,' dates from the year 1200 and is accepted as good English. Some purists, however, characterize it colloquial." To some ears "lend" may be preferable, but "loan" is not incorrect, and has the support of Acts 34 and 35 of Henry VIII (1542), Langley (1644), Fossenden (1729), Calhoun (1834), Brownson (1847), Bonamy-Price (1800), the North American Review, February, 1901, etc.

Locusts have become so damaging in Uruguay that the government has had to help fight them.

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HOWARD ESTATE FORECLOSES ON PACIFIC CITY

REDWOOD CITY, March 19.—A petition to foreclose a mortgage on Pacific City, San Mateo's amusement park, was granted by Superior Judge George H. Buck, recently.

The petition was brought by the William H. Howard Estate Company, owner of the park site, against A. H. Dougall, Jr., promoter of the park; the Bank of Italy, the Pacific States Construction Company and others.

For the past two years the beach resort has been in the hands of its creditors, who have allowed it to remain open a few summer months in the hope of recovering losses of several hundred thousand dollars, largely San Francisco capital.

Yesterday's foreclosure by the Howard Estate was for \$100,000 based on the purchase contract entered into three years ago last July.

Defendants named were A. H. Dougall et al., the Pacific City corporation and the Bank of Italy. Dougall, president of the park company, is well known as an exporter and importer in San Francisco and former president of the Transportation Club.

Judge Buck allowed \$10,000 for attorney's fees. These representing the Howard Estate were Leon E. Morris and McCutchen, Olney, Mannion & Greene, and for the defendants Knight, Boland, Hutchinson & Christin, Attorneys Kirkbride & Gordon acted for the Bank of Italy.

Joseph R. Fitzpatrick was appointed commissioner.

The foreclosure also affects the holdings of 89 odd concessionaries whose structures, such as scenic railway, "hot dog" stands, dance halls, baby doll games, popcorn booth, airplane swings and the like were all erected at their own expense and operated on a per-

Origin of Arabian Horse Never Traced

The early history of the Arabian horse is shrouded in that impenetrable veil beyond which investigators have been unable to discover a satisfactory path to knowledge.

Recognizing the thoroughbred as a fixed type of highest quality, resulting from painstaking and careful mating to obtain particular results, many students are agreed that the Arabian might have been originated and perpetuated in the same way, says a writer in the National Geographic Magazine. On the other hand, the Arabian and the Barb of northern Africa are so alike, and yet so distinct in every possible way from the ancient horses of the steppes and of the European areas, that admirers of the Arabian and Barb are unwilling to assign them to any but a distinct classification of their own.

There have been many hundreds of books written on the horse. A lifetime devoted to the study has brought the conviction that a large majority of these writings, as far as examined by me, contained little original matter, and that those who have written them have not been able to consider in the broad light of recorded history and of scientific discoveries in order to assign a correct value to their conclusions.

The preponderance of evidence favors the belief that the Arabian horses were obtained through Egypt, from Libyan tribes of northern Africa, and that by long and careful mating the superior type of Arabian horse has been maintained through many centuries.

Pest Imported in 1885

The cotton boll weevil was originally Mexican, having been found around Monclova, state of Coahuila, Mex., where as early as 1856 to 1862 it did such damage to cotton that cotton-growing there was abandoned. In 1885 the boll weevil crossed the Texas border into the United States. It encroached steadily from year to year until, in 1922, it infested practically the entire cotton-growing region of the United States. The only extensive uninfested territory lies in west and northwest Texas.

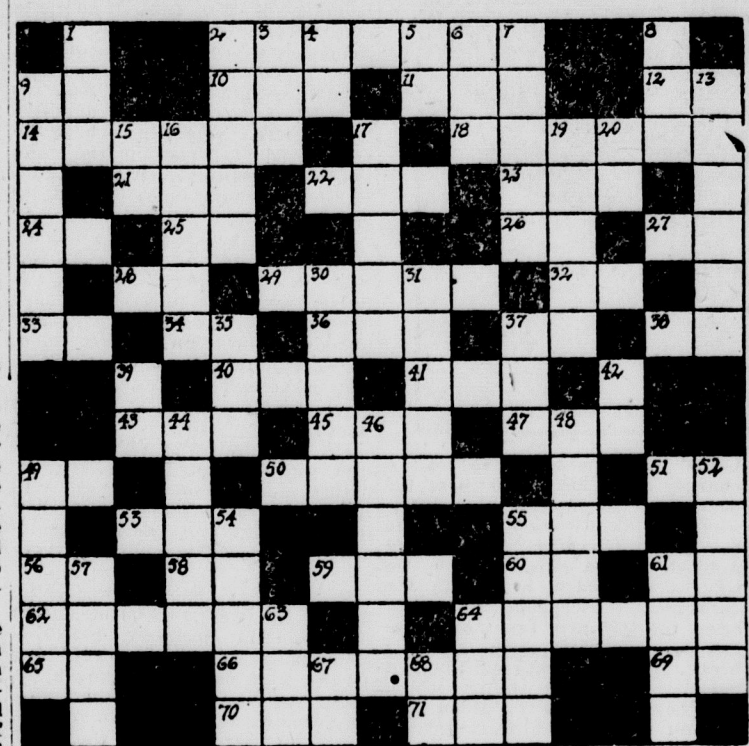
centage agreement with Pacific City.

These, independent of Pacific City's elaborate outlay for gardens, fountains, gateways, bathhouse, board walks and other features, cost the concessionaries approximately half a million dollars.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

HOW HONEST ARE YOU?

So you will not have to wait until the next issue to find out whether your solution to this crossword puzzle is correct, the answer is printed below. Fold the paper between the puzzle and its answer and go to work. Will you cheat yourself by looking, as some solitary players have been known to do?



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- Horizontal.**
- 1—One thousand thousand
 - 2—Initials of a United States President
 - 3—Girl's name
 - 4—Period of time
 - 5—Preposition
 - 6—Every hour
 - 7—Real property
 - 8—Perceive
 - 9—Fate
 - 10—Number under fourteen
 - 11—Preposition
 - 12—Point of compass
 - 13—You (arch.)
 - 14—Part of verb "to be"
 - 15—Personal pronoun
 - 16—Fleashy
 - 17—Toward
 - 18—See
 - 19—Preposition
 - 20—A grain
 - 21—Exclamation
 - 22—Addition to a letter
 - 23—Interrogative pronoun
 - 24—A large covered wagon
 - 25—Crusted pastry
 - 26—Poem
 - 27—War medal for great bravery (abbr.)
 - 28—Pronoun
 - 29—A sign foreboding disaster (pl.)
 - 30—Act
 - 31—Decline
 - 32—Obtain
 - 33—Preposition
 - 34—Beast of burden
 - 35—Skill in any branch of learning
 - 36—Pronoun
 - 37—Preposition
 - 38—Fragrances
 - 39—Revolve on an axis
 - 40—Long Island (abbr.)
- Vertical.**
- 1—Standing room only (abbr.)
 - 2—Mixup
 - 3—A vine
 - 4—Note of musical scale
 - 5—That is (abbr.)
 - 6—Mineral in native state
 - 7—Abhorrent
 - 8—Flatten out, as grass
 - 9—To excite
 - 10—Tantalize
 - 11—Objective of "we"
 - 12—Fix again
 - 13—Medium of exchange
 - 14—Chevrons
 - 15—Article
 - 16—A sweeper
 - 17—Lucky number for crap shoot
 - 18—Sometimes
 - 19—Be indebted to
 - 20—Conjunction
 - 21—Skyward
 - 22—Part of verb "to be"
 - 23—Language peculiar to a people or a district
 - 24—Judicial edict
 - 25—Pleasing to taste
 - 26—Customary
 - 27—Frequently
 - 28—Precise
 - 29—Apparition
 - 30—Intolerant person
 - 31—Small particle
 - 32—Feminine pronoun
 - 33—Girl's name
 - 34—Boy's name
 - 35—Therefore

Solution will appear in next issue.

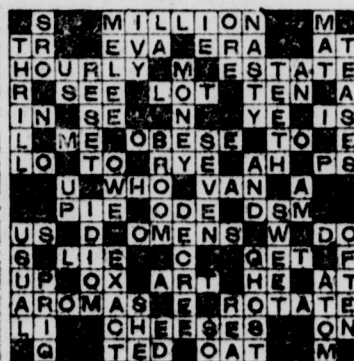
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Life is enjoyed leisurely in Haiti and construction of the national railway is progressing slowly.

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MENLO CHINESE GAMBLERS PAY FINES OF \$2150

REDWOOD CITY, March 19.—

Fines aggregating \$2,150 and one jail sentence of thirty days were imposed upon nine Menlo Park Chinese gamblers who faced Justice of the peace Ray Griffin of Redwood City recently. All of the defendants were warned that in the future jail sentences would accompany infractions of the law.

It will be the policy of the district attorney's office to cause the arrest of all players at the games, be they Stanford students, visitors, or natives, according to an announcement of District Attorney Franklin Swart, and it will be asked that they be dealt with as severely as possible. District Attorney Swart stated that he believed this procedure would be more effective than attempting to secure abatements against the properties, since he said the requirements of the gamblers are met by any kind of wooden shacks, and the county would be involved in an expensive game of hide and seek by the abatement method.

Lee Fong, proprietor of the Menlo Park resort which was raided, was given a sentence of a \$500 fine and thirty days in jail upon the count of gambling. For the charge of assault with a deadly weapon, based upon the alleged fact that he fired several shots at Chief of Police C. L. Collins, one of the raiders accompany Sheriff T. C. McGovern, he was held to answer after testimony of Chief Collins and of Under Sheriff Peter Larrecon.

Evidence disclosed that beside the empty pistol found in the room from which was taken, there was found one loaded shot gun, three rifles, and a store of ammunition for weapons of various calibers.

Loo Sam, dealer, drew a fine of \$350 or 150 days in jail.

Chong Hing, cook, drew the minimum, \$100 or 50 days.

Yee Sing, alleged "lookout," was fined \$300 or to serve 150 days.

Gee Sam, lottery tickets, was fined \$300 or to serve 150 days.

Wong Sing, utility man, fined

Viriden Packing Co. News

Bob Boyle of Sacramento was a visitor at the plant Wednesday March 18.

The boys got off at a good start Sunday by defeating the California Tigers at the high school grounds by the score of 12 to 10. Features of the game were two home-runs by Rudy and Sam Costa.

George of the smoked meat department is becoming an artist in playing the mouth organ. Each morning finds him with quite an audience.

\$300 or to serve 150 days.

Mong Song, an employee of the base hospital near Palo Alto, was fined \$100 or 150 days.

Chew Pong was fined \$100 or to serve 50 days.

Yow Kee, made his second appearance before the court but was let off with the minimum when it was shown that the undercover agents persuaded him to violate the law. The district attorney recommended leniency. The fine was \$100 or 50 days in jail.

Attorney J. J. Bullock represented the Chinese.

DOWER WINS WESTERN MEAT COMPANY RADIO

R. J. Dower, Western Meat Company salesman of San Francisco, who formerly lived here, is announced the winner of a Marathon five-tube radio set, the prize recently awarded in a sales contest held by that organization. Salesmen of this district competed for the prize, which is valued at \$275 in the sale of California.

Although there are 5,000,000 head of cattle in Yugoslavia, there is a shortage of leather in that country.

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"Prettiness" Makes No Appeal to Normal Boy

When nature hands on the good points of parents she invariably seems to be more generous to the boys than to the girls. Curly hair, long eyelashes and good complexions go to the boys more frequently than to the girls.

Notice the boys with natural "marcel" waves and curling eyelashes, and notice how they value them. A girl would be proud of them, but most men and boys are mortally ashamed to possess these advantages. They blush every time any one mentions eyelashes, while the curls are given frequent applications of water and brilliantine to restrain their wayward tendencies, says London Answers.

All this, while less fortunate sisters try vainly to play the coquette with scanty, sandy eyelashes, and spend a small fortune at the hairdresser's in an endeavor to take the lankiness out of their uninteresting tresses!

Real nuburn tresses, too, are more often than not handed on to the boys. But there is one consolation. A girl thus endowed may refer to her tresses as "titan red," but a boy is never allowed to imagine that he is anything else but "ginger!"

One gold mine in Africa covering 17 square miles, with 29 levels, supplies work for 9,000 men.

Western Meat News Items

Caesar Lencioni, who has charge of the arrangements for the Welfare Club entertainment on April 24, has an interesting program for that evening and promises a surprise for the young folks. Keep that date in mind and plan to be there.

The plant was favored this week by the visit of F. A. Gardner, of Chicago, and R. M. Jackson of Portland.

C. E. Leon, shipping clerk for the sausage department, has been confined to his home the last few days by sickness. We hope to see him about again very shortly.

Since the Pedro team of Attridge and Woods has started functioning again by the return of Jack to our midst, young Pat Bowler and Arthur Anderson are wearing long faces.

Pat Bowler gave a stirring speech on "Americanism" under the auspices of the American Legion of South San Francisco, the other evening. The essentials were rehearsed at the laboratory that afternoon.

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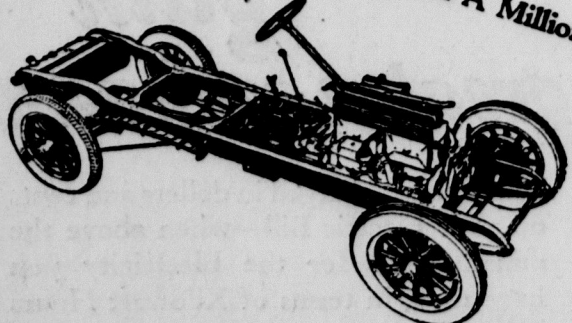
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VINCENZINI BROS. TO BUILD THREE STORY APARTMENT BUILDING

Plans for the erection of a three-story apartment and store building at the corner of Maple and Grand avenues have been announced by Vincenzini Bros., proprietors of the Columbia and Radio Meat Markets. The building will be begun at once.

The two upper stories will contain 2-room and one 3-room apartment each and will be reached by an elevator from an entrance on Maple avenue. The ground floor will contain store rooms. The building will represent an outlay of several thousand dollars.

I FRATELLI VINCENZINI FABBRICHERANNO UN CASEGGIATO A TRE PIANI PER APPARTAMENTI E NEGOZI

Sono stati annunciati, dai fratelli Vincenzini proprietari della Columbia e Radio Meat Markets, i piani per l'erezione d'un caseggiato a tre piani per uso appartamenti e negozi sul canto di Grand e Maple avenues. I lavori di costruzione incominceranno subito.

I due piani superiori occuperanno dieci appartamenti di due camere e uno di tre ciascuno che saranno accessibili con un elevatore all'entrata in Maple avenue. Il piano terreno sarà occupato da negozi. Il fabbricato rappresenterà un investimento di molte migliaia di dollari.

URGENT ACTION ON HILLSIDE BOULEVARD

Urging the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo county to take the action necessary to the construction of Hillside boulevard through Paradise Valley, the committee of the chamber of commerce, headed by B. H. Truax, on Monday, filed its report with the chamber manager.

The report shows the entire right of way has been turned over to the county by the land owners and reports appeals from citizens and factory heads that the road be built. The committee is composed of B. H. Truax, Pete M. Petroff, John W. Coleberd, A. Vincenzini, F. J. Lautze, and H. J. Borba.

RACCOMANDANO LA COSTRUZIONE DELLA "HILLSIDE BOULEVARD"

Il comitato della Camera di Commercio per la costruzione della cosiddetta "Hillside Boulevard," capitanato da B. H. Truax, presenta il suo rapporto al direttore della Camera con le raccomandazioni del Consiglio dei Supervisori della Contea di San Mateo abbia a pigliare i deliberati necessari per la costruzione

LA SUDETTA STRADA ATTRAVERSO LA PARADISE VALLEY

Dal rapporto risulta che il diritto di passaggio è stato acquistato e che tutti i proprietari dei terreni hanno rimesso le concessioni alla Contea coi diversi appelli di cittadini e padroni di fattorie perché la strada sia costruita.

Il comitato è composto da B. H. Truax, Pete M. Petroff, John W. Coleberd, A. Vincenzini, F. J. Lautze, e H. J. Borba.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS LEGION NIGHT

The auditorium of the South San Francisco High School was crowded on Friday night for the entertainment given by the local post of the American Legion. In addition to several pleasing vocal and musical numbers and an exhibition drill by the Boy Scouts, an essay contest was announced to the audience. Children of this city of the ages from 12 to 18 are urged to submit 500-word compositions on the subject: "Why has the American Legion, an organization of veterans of the World War, dedicated itself, first of all, to uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States." Essays must be submitted by midnight of June 1, 1925. Prizes consist of \$750, \$500, and \$250 scholarships in any university in the United States for the best composition written in the entire country, and three medal awards for the best state paper.

LA SERATA LEGIONARE HA ATTRAITO MOLTO PUBBLICO

Venerdì sera, l'auditorium della High School fu affollatissimo per l'intrattenimento dato dalla locale sezione dell'American Legion. In aggiunta al numeroso e piacevole programma vocale e musicale e esibizioni di manovre da parte dei Boy Scouts, un contesto di saggio è stato annunciato all'audienza. I ragazzi di questa città sono pregati a sottomettere una composizione di 500 parole sul soggetto: "Perché la Legione Americana, un'organizzazione di veterani della guerra mondiale ha dedicato se stessa, prima di tutto, a tener alto e difendere la costituzione degli Stati Uniti."

I saggi devono essere sottomessi prima della mezzanotte del 1° giugno 1925. I premi consistono in tre tariffe di \$750, \$500 e \$250 per gli studi scolastici in qualunque università degli Stati Uniti, per la migliore composizione scritta in tutta la nazione e tre medaglie saranno aggiudicate ai tre migliori lavori.

FETHI BEY



Fethi Bey is the new premier of Turkey, succeeding Ismet Pasha.

Early Gatherings of Baptists in Alabama

Lorenzo Dow, who is said to have reached the distant frontier settlements of Alabama along the Tombigbee as early as 1793, at the age of twenty-seven, preached as a son of thunder, says a staff correspondent of the Birmingham News. He was a Baptist. The first trace which the writer finds of the presence of the Baptists in Alabama is around Huntsville, but shortly after they found a footing in the southwestern part of the territory in the neighborhood of St. Stephens, the first capital of Alabama.

Rev. John Nicholson had the honor of organizing the first Baptist church in the state. It is said that in the fall of 1831 a number of families met and spread their tents near Elyton and held the first camp-meeting ever held in Alabama. There were unusual demonstrations among those who became interested in the matter of religion. One who witnessed these peculiar manifestations thus described them: "It was not unusual to have a large part of the congregation prostrated upon the ground, and in some instances they appeared to have lost the use of their limbs. No distinct articulation could be heard; screams, cries, groans, shouts, notes of grief and notes of joy, all heard at the same time, made much confusion, a sort of indescribable concert."

CURFEW BELL TO BE RUNG AGAIN

Arrangements for the ringing of the curfew, the signal for all children under age of 16 to be off the streets, were placed in the hands of Fire Marshal Ben H. Truax and Chief of Police Belloni by the city board of trustees Monday night, following a request from the Woman's Club.

The street committee and City Engineer George Kneese were ordered to review all streets and alleys with a view toward paving and repairing.

John Tacchi received a permit to build a one-story dwelling on 14th avenue. Ernesto Carboni for a bungalow in High School Park to cost \$4,000, and Emilio Cortesi to build a store building and dwelling on Peck's Lots if he abandons his present store.

The Eagles were given permission to hold a circus on the lot at Railroad and Division streets from May 12 to 16. The druids will give a benefit dance Sunday, April 19, from 2 p. m. to 1 a. m.

The board decided against holding a July 4th celebration after the committee headed by Trustee Blank had reported sentiment among the merchants and citizens was against it. A celebration for next fall will be planned.

LA CAMPANA DEL "CAPRIFUCO" SUONERA ANCORA

Lunedì sera, alla seduta del Consiglio Municipale, in seguito a richiesta del Club delle donne (Woman's Club), il consiglio diede ordini al capo pompiere Ben H. Truax ed al capitano di polizia Louis Belloni, per gli arrangiamenti per il suono della campana del caprifucio per dare alla sera il segnale a tutti i minorenni sotto i 16 anni d'età di ritirarsi nelle loro case.

Il comitato stradale in compagnia dell'ingegnere cittadino George Kneese è stato ordinato di passare in rivista tutte le strade e contradini che richiedono d'essere pavimentati o riparati.

Seduta stanotte, John Tacchi si ebbe il permesso di fabbricare una casa d'un sol piano in Baden avenue. Ernesto Carboni per un bungalow nel High School Park del costo di 4000 dollari e Emilio Cortesi per un fabbricato per uso di negozio al Peck's Lots col patto che abbandoni il locale che lui ora occupa.

Alla laggi degli "Eagles" è dato il permesso di costruire un "circus" nel lotto al canto di Railroad e Division streets fra le date dal 12 al 16 maggio e a quella del Druid il permesso di tenere un ballo pubblico domenica 19 aprile in beneficio di due membri ammalati da lungo tempo dalle ore 2 p. m. all'1 a. m.

In seguito a investigazione fatta dal consigliere Carl Blank fra i commercianti della città, il consiglio decise di non tenere nessuna celebrazione del 4 luglio (Fourth July); però è stato progettato una celebrazione per il prossimo autunno.

Trivial Diary Entries Best Record of Doings

A hundred times, perhaps, the pen has been taken up with reluctance to tell the story of an unexciting day. There has seemed to be nothing worth saying, no happening worth the spoiling of paper with ink, says a writer in the London Times. Yet, for habit's sake and in a determination not to be beaten, an entry has been made, and often, at the year's end, these entries, which once seemed so dull, are found to have more truth and more entertainment in them than many a record of a relatively eventful day.

When "there is nothing worth saying" a diarist is apt to fill in the gap with a little of himself, to give play to his imagination, to escape from that formality which settles over even the simplest of domestic histories, and to permit himself, as he thinks, to be trivial. Then, in deed, he is writing, as the perfect diarist must nearly always write, for no other eye but his own. He would blush to imagine posterity looking at that singularly trivial page. Yet that is the page which amuses him when months later he rereads it, and that certainly is the page in which, if it survives, his great-grandchildren will have their chief delight. "An empty day," he thinks as he writes. "What on earth can I say of it?" And nine times out of ten it is on such occasions that the trivial goddess who presides over the fortunes of diarists tricks him into drawing without knowing it a portrait of himself.

BUILDING PERMIT FOR THEATER IS SOUGHT

BY ELLIS J. ARKUSH
Permission to build a \$399,000 moving picture theater in San Mateo is asked of the San Mateo city council. Ellis J. Arkush, connected with several theaters on the peninsula, including the Sequoia Theater of Redwood City is the applicant.

Pipe used in connecting the oil fields of Barranca Bermeja, Colombia, with Cartagena Bay, will weigh nearly 80,000 tons.

Municipal gaming salons in Montevideo, Uruguay, reported earnings of more than \$1,100,000 last year.

ORANGE AVENUE DAY TO BE CELEBRATED

Every resident of the city is urged, begged, requested and asked to be among those present at the Orange Avenue Day celebration to be held at the new city park site in the willows on Sunday April 19. On that day every man will be provided with a pick, shovel, hoe, rake or some other implement and asked to do his share in cutting Orange avenue through to Los Cerritos tract. The purpose is to open the proposed extension of Grand avenue so when the Railroad Commission hears the city's petition to cross the Market Street Railways tracks with the street on Tuesday, April 21, it will be possible to take the commissioner who hears the case to the site and show him where the park will be and what the crossing is.

It will also enable the 150 or more residents of Los Cerritos tract to come here to do their shopping instead of San Francisco or elsewhere.

A barbecue will be staged and food will be provided all workers. In addition to the worthiness of the cause as an attraction a great deal of fun is promised.

Arrangements are in charge of a committee headed by Trustee A. J. Eschelbach and composed of H. F. McNeil, Hugh McCaffrey, C. R. Hovickin, Ira H. Potter, Robert Burns, Ben H. Truax and Harry J. Borba.

LA CELEBRAZIONE DEL GIORNO DI ORANGE AVENUE

Tutti i residenti di questa città sono richiesti, pregati, sollecitati d'essere assieme a quelli che avrà luogo domenica 19 Aprile nel sito ove sarà costruito il nuovo parco cittadino.

In quel giorno, tutti gli uomini presenti saranno riforniti di falci, zappe, badile e altri strumenti adatti, per tagliare i cespugli e sarà loro richiesto d'autore ad aprire la Orange Avenue attraverso la baseaglia fino alla cosiddetta Los Cerritos tract.

Lo scopo di questa iniziativa è quello d'aver pronta e aperta la proposta estensione di Orange Avenue per il 21 d'aprile, giorno in cui avrà luogo l'udienza della petizione di questa città alla Commissione Ferroviaria e far sì che, qual'ora il Commissario volesse fare un sopralluogo al sito del passaggio a livello della ferrovia e dei binari della Market Street Railway Co., il posto sia praticabile e adatto a dimostrare la necessità della suddetta strada ed in'oltre far vedere il luogo ove sarà adibito a parco ricreativo.

La suddetta apertura, renderà possibile al 150 o più residenti di Los Cerritos tract, di venire a far la spesa in città, piuttosto che a San Francisco o altrove.

In quel giorno sarà servito un "barbecue" e altre vivande a tutti i lavoratori ed in aggiunta alla meritevole causa, come attrazione saranno esibiti divertimenti in quantità.

I preparativi sono alla discrezione d'un comitato capitanato dal consigliere cittadino A. J. Eschelbach e composto da H. F. McNeil, Hugh McCaffrey, C. R. Hovickin, Ira H. Potter, Robert Burns, Ben H. Truax e Harry J. Borba.

Beautiful in Ruin Is Famous Dryburgh Abbey

A beautiful ancient church, like a fine old painting or poem, has a message for people of the present day. It is as if the builders challenged the modern world in this wise: "Here is our ideal of beauty; it breathes the life of our time and marks a step in our progress. Do you moderns surpass us in such expressions of beauty?"

The abbey of Dryburgh lies in Berwickshire, just across the border not far from Abbotsford and Melrose abbey, says the Christian Science Monitor. There is a question whether it was founded by David I in 1150, or by Hugh de Morville. Probably both men did much for it. The abbey today is surrounded by orchards and noble trees and crowns a peninsula around which sweeps the Tweed river. Two gables are still entire, and in the west one is a beautifully radiated circular window, called the Wheel of St. Catherine. The general architecture of the abbey shows Roman, Saxon, Norman and Gothic influences. We associate the spot principally with Sir Walter Scott, but Thompson composed his "Winter" here, and long before that Gower, the friend of Chaucer, occupied a cell in Dryburgh abbey. Chaucer himself stayed some time here with his friend and rival.

USE WOOD ASHES

Sprinkle wood ashes over the garden just before a rain. This is a great potash fertilizer, and potash does not leach out of the soil. Potash is a necessary fertilizer for fruits and flowers.

Rumania faces a flour shortage.

LEGAL

NOTICE OF REZONING CITY OF SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco, pursuant to the law as made and provided, hereby calls a meeting of the general public and all persons of South San Francisco who are particularly interested for Monday, April 6, 1925, at 7:30 p. m., Assembly Room, City Hall, South San Francisco, for the purpose of considering the Rezoning of the City of South San Francisco.

DANIEL McWEESEY, City Clerk.
Dated: March 12, 1925.

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Folks

Whatever the first advertisement, advertising is old as history. When folks have something worth talking about, they naturally talk about it; and folks were folks ten thousand years ago. Verbal pictures became pictures on cave, totem pole, tent—then on paper.

Advertisers to-day are folks too. They want to give you easy knowledge about something worth knowing about. They let you take in, with one sweep of the eye, the meaning of an advertisement. Product, style, size, price. What they tell through advertisements has made all the difference between you in your comfortable home . . . and the cave-dweller in his stone. Do you read their messages—always? They can lift you to greater progress.

There is one way to buy with assurance—let the advertisements be your guide



Selective Sets

at Selected Prices
The joys of radio are increased when you have a selective set—one that will enable you to pick up any station you want. The sets we sell—

ATWATER KENT
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are the best in the market today. Let us demonstrate.

PENINSULA
MUSIC CO.

258 Grand Ave.

Advertisement

Gland Patient Withstands Severe Endurance Test

After suffering from a nervous breakdown, and being subject to dizzy spells, a man of 35 regained his health and strength through glandular treatment. As an actual test of his perfect health, this gland patient recently ran and won the one-mile and three-mile race in the annual field meet of one of California's State Institutions. Even more remarkable than his speed was the physical condition of the athlete after breaking the tape. He exhibited nothing of the distress or labored breathing of the ordinary runner.

Glandogen, the new scientific gland tonic, which is prepared in convenient tablet form, for men and for women, provides a simple method of taking glandular treatment. Accept no substitutes. Insist on genuine Glandogen, the original gland tonic.

Peninsula Drug Co., South San Francisco, Colma, and Daly City, will supply you.

Printing presses made in this country and installed in other lands last year were valued at nearly \$5,000,000.

South San Francisco Social and Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lundberg and son, George, of this city, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lundberg of San Francisco on Sunday, the occasion being John Lundberg's 79th birthday.

The Y. L. I. will hold their social meeting in Parish Hall Wednesday, March 25.

C. Lautze of San Francisco is spending several days at the Lautze home in this city.

Miss Cecelia Dolan of Minneapolis, a cousin of Dr. J. C. McGovern, Mrs. Henry McGraw and Mrs. C. C. Conrad, visited in this city for several weeks on her tour through California.

Mr. and Mrs. Moehring and daughter, Dorothy, of San Francisco, were visitors at the Davidson home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thorp of Miller avenue have had as their guests for several days, Mrs. C. L. Creight and children of San Bruno.

The Woman's Club members are practicing every week for the "Old Maids' Convention" to be held in the Fraternal Hall March 16th.

The card party held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday was a huge success. There were 15 tables. Refreshments were served late in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mercks, Jr., are driving a Ford coupe delivered to them on Saturday.

Mrs. John Zaro and children of San Bruno are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Zaro's sister in Oakland.

Mrs. William Doyle, Mrs. Ernest Langenbach, Sr., and Mrs. J. Ricconi motored to Mountain View on Tuesday, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Langenbach, Sr.

Mrs. William Doyle and son, Billy, were the guests of Mrs. F. Rodgers at her home in St. Francis Wood on Monday.

Constable James Wallace and Justice of the Peace Ed. Farrell went to Sacramento Wednesday with the delegation of San Mateo county township officials to lobby for an increase in salaries.

Mrs. John Mager and children are convalescing at their home at 721 Miller avenue.

R. C. Stickle spent Saturday and Sunday with his son, Cecil, who is at a Los Gatos sanatorium.

Mrs. Andrew Hynding and son, Norman, and Mrs. P. S. Dolley and family, spent the week-end at the Dolley summer home at Boulder.

Misses Peggy Kavanaugh and Mac Fitzgerald, formerly of this city, now of San Francisco, attended the St. Patrick card party, given in the Parish Hall, by the Y. L. I., on March 17.

Miss Anita Ebbecke of Lomita Park was visiting friends in this city Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ambrose McSweeney, who has been ill several days with a gripe, is improving rapidly at her home at 799 Grand avenue.

Mrs. Andrew Hynding and Mrs. A. P. Scott motored to Santa Clara on Friday, where they visited relatives and friends.

Mrs. M. D. Lessard, who has been visiting in the southern part of the state for the last three weeks, returned to her home in this city Friday evening.

Miss Louise Reid, who has been confined to her home by illness, has returned to her studies at the local high school.

W. H. Coffinberry returned Sunday from a business trip to Los Angeles.

Miss Helen Boyle of San Francisco visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eustace Boyle on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Holston was confined to her home for several days due to illness.

Dr. F. S. Dolley and E. C. Peck returned late Sunday from a several days' business trip to Los Angeles.

Frank Whitehouse and the Misses Myrtle Dukeman, Edith, Annie and Ida Whitehouse, spent Sunday afternoon at Spring Valley.

Rev. Asa P. Beall attended a Mass Council meeting at St. E. church last Tuesday and Wednesday in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Roccelli and Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Schall of Stockton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Baldini and family on Sunday.

Mrs. E. P. Kauffmann attended a St. Patrick's luncheon and bridge party given by Mrs. F. S. Pyle at her home at 1037 Church street, San Francisco, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Andrew Schmidt and Mrs. L. Kert attended a whist party given by the Eastern Outfitting Company's employees on Tuesday evening.

R. Hugh of San Francisco was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holbrook on Sunday.

John Debenetto of San Mateo formerly located in this city, was here on business Saturday. He is more generally known as the president of the Artichoke Association.

Robert Scott is walking on crutches these days, as the result of a sprained ankle received at Junior College, San Mateo.

Elmer Vaccari and Hayden McMillan attended the plays presented under the auspices of the McKinley Parent-Teacher Association on Friday evening, March 13, at the auditorium of the Burlingame Grammar School. Mrs. Lewis E. Adams played the part of the bride.

Lawrie Chateaufort of 351 Grand avenue, who is working for Paul Svanosio as carpenter, fell off the scaffold at the corner of Spruce and Baden avenue, and broke his right foot, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace, former students in the local high school, and now living in San Francisco, were visitors here last Wednesday evening and again on Sunday.

A. Vannucci is building a new house on Spruce, corner Lex, just across from the high school.

Charles E. Miller, graduate in the June class from the local high school, is filling his former position again with Jennings' Pharmacy, after working in San Francisco for the past six months.

Mrs. H. J. Holt and daughter spent Friday afternoon in Burlingame visiting Mrs. L. E. Adams.

Miss Frances Jennings underwent an operation for appendicitis on Saturday at the St. Mary's Hospital. She is reported as doing nicely.

Tom Allan and family were the guests of William Kuhlman on a motor party to Half Moon Bay on Sunday.

Mrs. A. Perazzo has returned to her home after being in the Mills Memorial Hospital, and is now up and around.

Mrs. Asa P. Beall is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Willis, in Los Gatos.

Mrs. Taylor and infant son, Eugene, left Saturday last for Salt Lake City, Utah, with Mr. Taylor's mother, who has been visiting here. She will visit relatives there for the next few weeks.

Ray C. Taylor, identified with the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company in this city, will move to Oakland about April 1, where he will be employed by the firm of Caldwell & Kaiser, realtors. Taylor will have charge of sales in Maxwell Park, a new tract recently opened by the firm in East Oakland.

Mrs. J. C. Carmody, daughters, Helen and Cecelia, and sons, Jack and Tom, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Green of Palo Alto on Sunday.

The Rev. H. A. Walsh, brother of Mrs. R. J. Dower, was operated on in St. Mary's Hospital on Wednesday.

R. L. Robinson of Santa Clara was a visitor in this city Monday.

Miss Cecelia Carmody, who has been ill at home several days, returned to her classes at Notre Dame College near Belmont on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose McSweeney and son, Byrnes, attended the opening performance at the Curran Theatre Thursday night, where they saw "So This is London: Madames Elizabeth Coffinberry, W. H. Coffinberry, Carolyn Coffinberry, Julie Eikenkotter, O. B. Hempstead, F. S. Dolley, A. P. Scott, Andrew Hynding, J. W. Coleberd, J. O. Snyder and T. C. Doak.

The following people enjoyed a dinner and theater party at the Alcazar Theatre Thursday night, where they saw "So This is London: Madames Elizabeth Coffinberry, W. H. Coffinberry, Carolyn Coffinberry, Julie Eikenkotter, O. B. Hempstead, F. S. Dolley, A. P. Scott, Andrew Hynding, J. W. Coleberd, J. O. Snyder and T. C. Doak.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Humphrey and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Spangler and family motored to the San Mateo county foothills Sunday, where they picnicked.

Vincent Blanchini, member of the police force, returned to his home on Baden avenue Monday from the hospital, where he had been confined by illness.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Murray, a baby boy, at the South San Francisco Hospital, on March 11.

M. Cohen of 340 Miller avenue was treated at the South San Francisco Hospital on Sunday, following an accident in which he suffered a broken leg.

J. S. Harley of 643 Grand avenue was taken to the South San Francisco Hospital on Friday. He was suffering from inflammation of the left ankle as the result of being hit by a piece of steel.

Word has been received here of the birth of twin daughters to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Genasci of Gait. The girls arrived on Saturday, March 7, and are named Eleanor Irene and Helen Vivian. Mr. Genasci was at one time connected with the bank of South San Francisco.

STATE RESIDENT OF WOMAN'S CLUB HONORED
The president of the Woman's Club, Mrs. John Urquhart, was the guest of honor of the San Mateo County Federation of Women's Clubs, at the San Mateo meeting, Thursday March 12. She gave an inspiring address on "The American Home". Mrs. Edward J. Wales, of San Francisco, was also a guest of honor. Mrs. John L. McGinnis, of San Mateo, entertained 10 guests at dinner, in honor of Mrs. John Urquhart. Mrs. C. E. Peck was the guest from this city.

BUS COMPANY SUES FOR \$1103
REDWOOD CITY, March 19.—After being the defendant in many damage suits itself, the Peninsula Rapid Transit Company recently was named plaintiff in an action to recover \$1103.85 from M. Callanan, of San Francisco, for damages alleged to have resulted when Callanan's sedan and a bus collided near the intersection of Whipple avenue and the state highway in Redwood City, January 26, 1925.

The stage was travelling south at a speed of 15 miles per hour when the accident happened, the complaint alleges. It is charged that Callanan, in a Maxwell sedan, driving at a speed of over 35 miles per hour, came over onto the stage's side of the highway and crashed into the larger vehicle.

Bus Damaged
The complaint states that the front fenders of the bus were broken, the engine base and radiator damaged and the steering device bent and made useless. The bus was out of service for 20 days. The stage is worth \$6000, the complaint states. The repair bill was \$603.85. Also, \$500 is asked for loss of passenger traffic during the period the stage was in the repair shop. The stage was earning \$25 a day, according to the complaint.

Two Injured
At the time of the accident, Callanan and a woman companion were slightly injured. They were taken to the Community Hospital at Beresford by a local police officer. The car was a total wreck. The transit company's complaint asserts that Callanan was intoxicated.

J. E. McCurdy is attorney for the plaintiff.

Of the 299,927 civil servants now employed by the British government, 141,739 are ex-service men.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to sincerely thank our many friends and acquaintances for the beautiful floral offerings and kind words of sympathy extended us during our late bereavement in the loss of our loving son, Howard—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Clausen.

S. F. CHAMBER GIVES \$7500 TO FUND FOR AMALGAMATION STUDY

A declaration from Acting Mayor, Ralph McLeran of San Francisco, that his city "wanted nothing from San Mateo county but its continued good will," and the statement from H. Clay Miller, representing the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, that that body stands ready to pay half of the \$15,000 needed for a study of the proposed amalgamation of San Francisco and San Mateo counties, were high lights in a meeting of the consolidation study convention of the two counties in the superior court house recently.

Report Adopted
A third feature was the adoption of the amalgamation report as submitted by a committee February 18. The members of the committee were R. B. Lawrence, John J. McGrath, R. R. Waterbury, Gordon Hess, M. A. Hope, M. A. Harris, F. A. Cunningham, H. Clay Miller and M. A. Gunst. The report, wide in its scope, contained many recommendations as to how a proper study of the proposed annexation of San Francisco and San Mateo counties should be conducted. It named the Bureau of Governmental Research of San Francisco as an organization capable of making the study, and fixed \$15,000 as the approximate amount necessary to assemble all of the data needed.

Amendment Offered
An amendment to the report was offered by M. S. Woodhams, of La Honda. It follows: "It is the sense of the convention that the study of a plan of consolidation as proposed in the report of the Committee of Ways and Means, now before it, include the whole of San Mateo county, since the annexation of any part of said county to the city and county of San Francisco might work a hardship and cause a serious injury to the part thereof left out. Also: "It is the sense of this convention that the adoption of the said report of the Committee of Ways and Means does not prescribe a hard and fast rule of action, but that this convention retains the right from time to time to amend the said report or take such action as it may deem fit in continuing the study of the said plan of annexation or consolidation."

Plan Improvements
"In 1929 San Francisco will take over the Market Street Railway lines and will be able to offer better transportation facilities down the Peninsula. Next month we will complete a \$6,000,000 job on a unit of the Hetch Hetchy pipe line that passes through Redwood City and continue to the Spring Valley Lakes. We want you of the Peninsula to participate in these and other benefits."

"There are great advantages and no disadvantages in a plan for consolidation without losing your identity. "San Francisco must and will expand. There is but one way, and that is to the south."

Other speakers included Gilbert Lingame Chamber of Commerce; R. R. Waterbury, of the Ravenswood chamber; Albert Mansfield, city attorney of Redwood City; and Mrs. D. E. F. Easton, president of the San Francisco Federation of Women's Clubs.

Financial Problem
When the problem of financing the study was taken up, Miller made his announcement concerning the offer of the San Francisco chamber of commerce to raise \$7500 if San Mateo county would raise the other half. Miller moved that a finance committee be appointed to take charge of this phase of the situation. To this motion Mansfield added an amendment that members of the committee could be chosen from outside the ranks of the study convention. There was some discussion as to whether or not the board of supervisors would contribute towards the expense.

On motion of M. A. Harris, Chairman John J. McGrath was empowered to appoint a committee of five to assist the chair in selecting members of all committees necessary.

McLeran Speaks
When the roll-call of delegates was called to vote on the acceptance or rejection of the report, Acting Mayor McLeran declined to vote. In explaining his action he said in part:

"San Francisco is willing to help in this matter, but it has refrained from participation in previous meetings of your body because we feel that the problem is one for San Mateo county to decide upon. We are one political unit. San Mateo county has several. We are not desirous of participating in any campaign to compel San Mateo county or its political subdivisions to lose their identity. We do not desire to unload our bonded indebtedness or our financial problems upon you."

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PROTEST AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS CURES

Residents of Belmont are circulating a petition asking the county board of supervisors to grant no more permits for tubercular sanatoriums in their neighborhood. They claim that the district is becoming known exclusively as a sanatorium center. The latest venture of this nature was to be established in the home of George Sutter, recently acquired for the purpose.

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